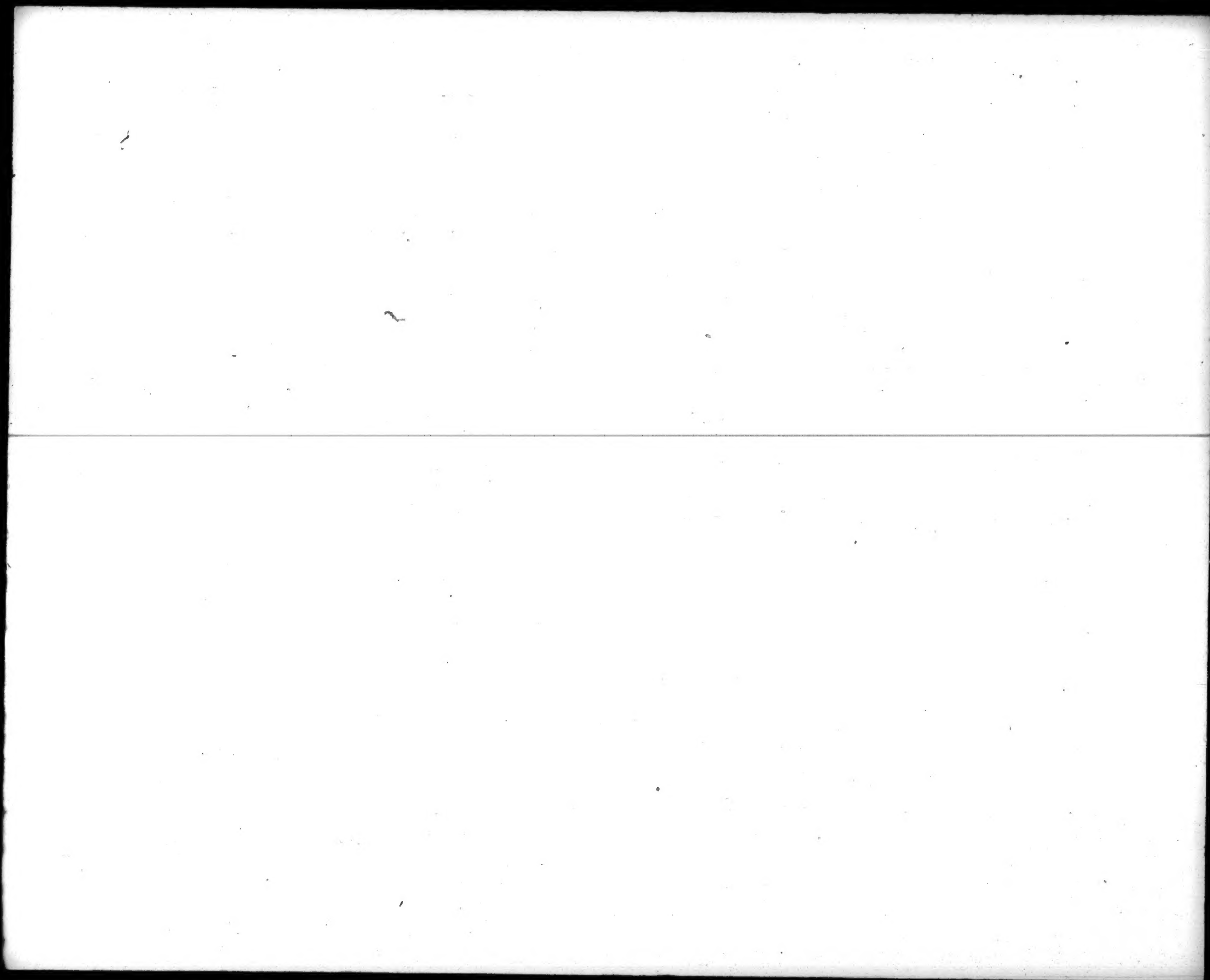


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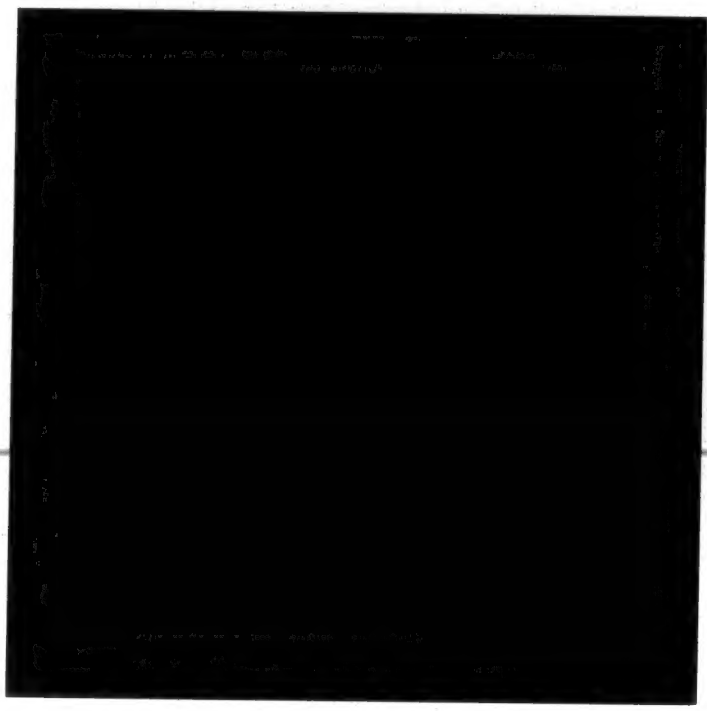
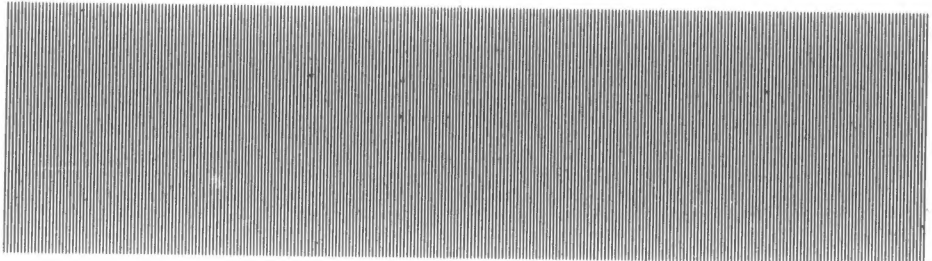
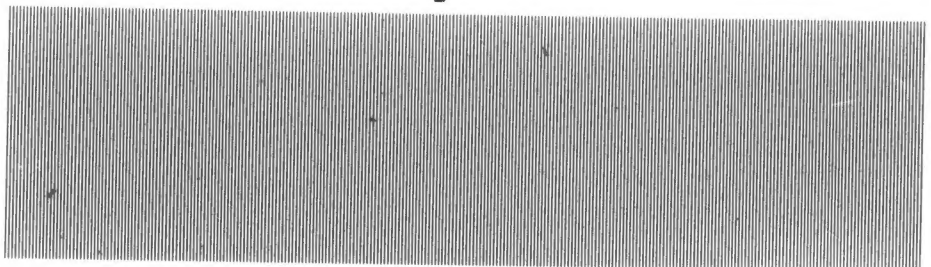




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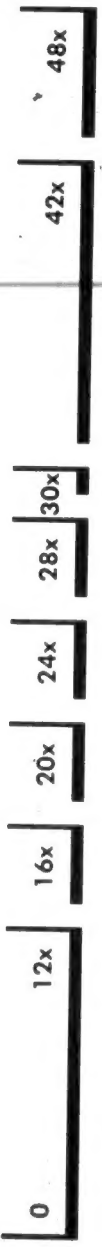
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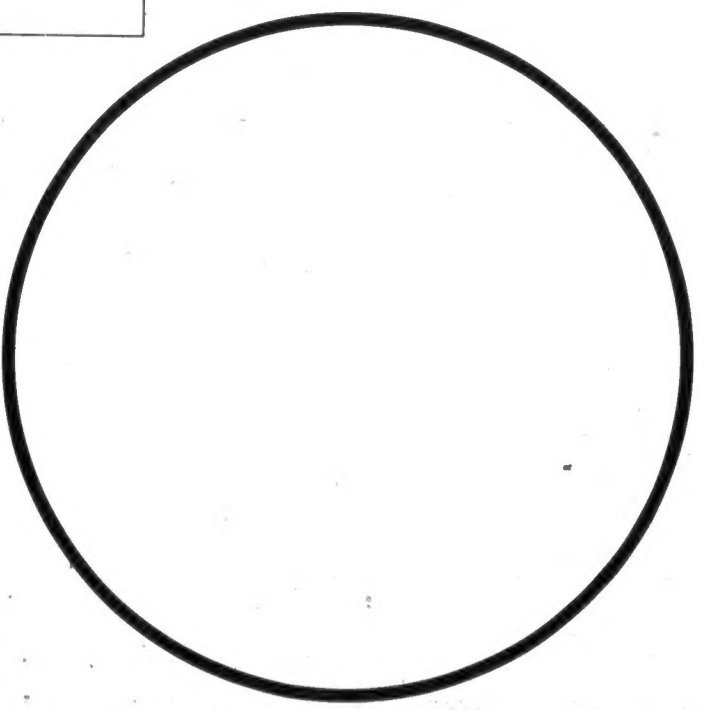
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No. 40857.

Name Mary Simmons and 2 children. Action: Reject  
Residence: Corvair, Ga.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 31662.

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Simmons*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD

Attorney and Solicitor.

612 P STREET N. NORTHWEST.

WASHINGTON, D. C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Simmons

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Cornier Ga. R.F.D. No 2

3. County: Madison County

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 60 Born July 6<sup>th</sup> 1847

6. Where were you born? Elbert County Ga.

7. Are you married? Widow.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>William Thomas</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>1883</u>
(2)	<u>Sarah Elizabeth</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>1885</u>
(3)	<u>John Robert</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1890</u>
(4)	<u>Claud Estes</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>1892</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Lemuel Page Simmons

Indian name: Lemuel Page Simmons

Mother—English name: Sarah Mildred Simmons

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Sarah Mildred Lines

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee

Mother: Elbert County Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Elbert County Ga.

Mother: Elbert County Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: October 1898

Mother: About 1870

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>J.B. Simmons</u> <u>Athens Ga.</u>	<u>1849</u>	
(2)	<u>W.C. Simmons</u> <u>Bowman Ga.</u>	<u>1851</u>	
(3)	<u>R.B. Simmons</u>		<u>1890</u>
(4)	<u>J.H. Simmons</u> <u>Greensborough Ga.</u>		
(5)	<u>Lou Ellen Simmons</u> <u>P.R. Simmons</u>		<u>Dead</u> <u>1896</u>
(6)	<u>Sam Simmons</u> <u>Geo. W. Simmons</u> <u>Nathaniel Simmons</u> <u>Sarah B. Simmons</u>		<u>Dead</u>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>- - Simmons</u>	
<u>Mary Clements</u>	

18. Where were they born? Dont know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dont know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>James Simmons</u>	<u>Dont know</u>
(2)	<u>William Simmons</u>	<u>" "</u>
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Leemel Page Simmons & Sarah Mitchell (Hines) Simmons Parents and Simmons & Mary Clements who was an Indian Grand parents

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary Simmons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug. 1907.

A. H. Lang, Clerk of  
Madison County, Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

C. J. Maghee

and

J. W. Anthony

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mary Simmons

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and

6 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

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No. 46552

Action: Accepted

Name Nancy M. Leales and no children. Residence: Leeds, Pa.

Reasons:

Sent to 18050 + claims the same name



No. 40852 to 40861

Name Nancy M. Scales

With No. 36802

Remarks:

No. 40852

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*Wancy Martin Scals*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,

607 17th Street, Northwest,  
Washington, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Nancy M. Scales*

Indian name:

*Unknown*

2. Residence and post office:

*Barford*

3. County:

*Guinnett*

4. State:

*Ga*

5. How old are you?

*65*

Born

*12-30-1841*

6. Where were you born?

*Guinnett*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Willis F. Scales Dead*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokees*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Willis M. Scales</i>	<i>45-11</i>	<i>18-1862</i>
(2)	<i>Joseph B.</i>	<i>41-5</i>	<i>25-1866</i>
(3)	<i>James J.</i>	<i>40-6</i>	<i>25-1867</i>
(4)	<i>Mattie</i>	<i>37-10</i>	<i>18-1870</i>
(5)	<i>Marance C.</i>	<i>32-10</i>	<i>18-1875</i>
(6)	<i>Lecala</i>	<i>26-5</i>	<i>26-1880</i>
	<i>Corah</i>	<i>26-5</i>	<i>26-1880</i>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Benjamin M. Bagby*

Indian name:

*Unknown*

Mother—English name:

*Sallie M. Bagby*

Indian name:

*in H*

Maiden name:

*Sallie M. Fincher*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*in S. C.*

Mother:

*in Hall County Ga*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gwinnett County Ga

Mother: 11111 1111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1864

Mother: 1889

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not known

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mariam B Bayly nee Strickland	1844	Burford Ga
(2)	Elias Bayly	1846	Dead
(3)	William T Bayly	1849	Flanary branch Ga
(4)	Mary B Bayly nee Bayly	1852	Dead
(5)	Berry L Bayly	1854	Burford Ga
(6)	Manana Puckle nee Bayly	1858	1111 11
(7)	Ludwigs Beam	1860	1111 11

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Elias Finner	Admon Bayly
Mary West	Wancy Martin

18. Where were they born? in W. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gwinnett Co

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John Fincher	
(2)	Jessy	11111
(3)	Hallie M	111
(4)	Berry H	111
(5)	Joseph	111
(6)	Mary	111
(7)	William	111
(8)	Elias	111
(9)	Ludwigs	111
(10)	Henry	111



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Wm. M. Seals Daughter, Nellie M. Fincher, Daughter of Eliza Fincher him son of disabett mard acherabee of W. L. and the names of the mard and fincher are on the cherabee

REMARKS. Robt. of. W. L.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and law  
ful attorney an dallow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nancy M. Seals

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

J. Blackwood  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept., 1900

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. E. Hayes  
and G. E. Broxton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Nancy M. Seals  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 8 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. E. Broxton  
H. E. Hayes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept., 1900 J. Blackwood  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 1 1908  
No.

Buford Ga. July 29. 1908  
Mr. Gion Miller Special Com.  
Dear Sir

Enclosed please find  
Affidavit of Mrs. Sarah C.  
Moulder. as Testimony in  
Application No. 40852 (36804)  
in Case of Mrs. Nancy Martin  
Seals Rept-

Nancy Martin Seals

Buford Ga  
R.F.D. #4



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 1 1908

No. 40852.

OFFICE OF  
WM. A. EDWARDS,  
Justice of the Peace 795th Dist., G. M.



Route  
No. 3.

Cumming, Ga., July 28th 1908

Georgia Forsyth  
County

Person only appeared before me  
W. A. Edwards J. P. Duty  
Authorized by Law to administer Oaths. Sarah C. Moulder  
who being duly sworn and  
on Oath says some time  
between 1830 and 1840 she knew  
Elizabeth Fincher wife of Jesse  
Fincher and mother of  
Elias Fincher and the said  
Elias Fincher is the Grand  
father of Mrs. Nancy Martin  
Seales, and the said Elizabeth  
Fincher claimed to be a quarter-  
blood Indian.  
Sworn to and subscribed  
before me this 28th July 1908  
W. A. Edwards J. P.

Sarah C. Moulder  
marked

No. 4853

Action: Excluded

Name Harriet A. Leake and 4 children. Residence: Burford, Va.

Reasons:

cousin of #6804, claims the same source



No. 10853

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lawrence Albert Scaly*  
*4 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD.

Attorney at Law

1919

*E. S. 107*

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Ethel M. scales	11	1896
(2)	Ester A. III	9	1898
(3)	Lrea J. III	7	1900
(4)	Lana M. III	3	1903
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Guinneth Lawrence Ga  
Mother: 1111 1111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Guinneth  
Mother: 1111

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Willis M Scales	1862	Buford Ga
(2)	Joseph B Scales	1867	Miami Fla
(3)	Walter	1870	Buford
(4)	James T Scales	1867	11111
(5)	Leah	1880	1111
(6)	Leora	1880	111

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17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Millieus Scales	Benjamin M Bagby
Ann Robinson Scales	Sallie M. Bagby

18. Where were they born? she in thaul co & he in W.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Guinneth co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Nancy M Scales	Buford Ga
(2)	Marion A Strickland	111
(3)	Ellis Bagby	Dead
(4)	William T Bagby	Flowers branch Ga
(5)	Mary A Barker	Dead
(6)	Berry C Bagby	Buford Ga
	Manerva Piple	111
	Eufene J Beam	1111



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Clarence E. Seales son of Wamag Bagby daughter of Benjamin Bagby and Sallie M. Fincher daughter of Elias Fincher son of Elizabeth M. Mard. The Mards and Finchers are on the Cherokee Rolls of W. C.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Clarence E. Seales

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

G. Lockwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sep

1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

E. Cloud

and

A. Brown

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Clarence E. Seales

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and

70 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. E. Cloud

A. Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sep

1907.

G. Lockwood

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 16 1909  
No. 40853

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July the 13/1909

Mr. Union Miller & honorable ask you if the blanks that, Belvia A. Lockwood is sending out is all right to fill an appeal or not, or will they have to all be done in writing if a blank will do please send me one if you have one filled out in proper form yours as ever  
Clarence A. scales

Rockwell, Ga

R # 4 B 12



No. 48854

Action: Rejected

Name Walter C. Seales and 3 children. Residence: Burford, Va.

Reasons:

cousin of 95504, claims the same name

40854

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Walter D. Scales*  
*and 3 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906 in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Walter S. Scales

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Buford

3. County: Gwinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 36 Born 1870

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett county Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Firzah 42

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	William S. Scales	5	6-27-1902
(2)	Thomas S.	1111 3	8-14-1904
(3)	Joseph S.	111	12-26-1905
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Willis F. Scales

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Waney M. Scales

Indian name: W M

Maiden name: Waney Bayby

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Paul County Ga

Mother: Gwinnett



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Guinneth Leamy Ga  
Mother: 111

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: 1111

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Millie M. Scales	1862 Buford	
(2)	Joseph B. 111	1866 Miami Fla	
(3)	Sammy T. 11	1867 Buford Ga	
(4)	Lorance 11	1875 111	11
(5)	Trina 11	1880 111	11
(6)	Lorah 11	1880 11	11

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Millie M. Scales	Benjamin M. Bagby
Sam Robinson Scales	Sallie M. 1111

18. Where were they born? she in Ga he in W. Va

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Guinneth

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Wanda M. Scales	Buford Ga
(2)	Mariam A. Strickland	111 11
(3)	Ellis Bagby	Dead
(4)	Millie 1111	Felawry branch Ga
(5)	Mary A. Barker	Dead
(6)	Bessie Bagby	Buford Ga
	Marion Parker	1111 11
	Alfred & Beam	111 111

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mattie & Leale son of Wm & Mary Bagby daughter of Benjamin and Fannie Fincher the of Elias Fincher he also of Elizabeth Ward the names of the words and Fincher are on the Cherokee Roll of W.C.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney ~~for~~ and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

W. E. Seale

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept

1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

A. F. Green

and

Marion C. Shadburn

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

W. E. Seale

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. F. Green

Marion C. Shadburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept

1910

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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No. 41558

Action: Rejected

Name Mittie M. Leales and 16 children. Residence: Pearson, Ga.

Reasons:

revised 196504, claims thru same source



No. 40855

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Willis Marion Sealey*  
*10 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906; in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Willis M. Scales

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Buford

3. County: Gwinnett Co. Ga.

4. State: Ga.

5. How old are you? 45 Born 11-18-1862

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett County Ga.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary P. age 34

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Jacks M. Scales	17	7-31-1890
(2)	Dellai F.	16	1-3-1892
(3)	Burt S.	13	8-10-1894
(4)	Lena S.	11	8-18-1896
(5)	Leaford L.	9	2-28-1898
(6)	Betty L.	8	10-23-1899
(7)	Smith A.	6	5-18-1901
(8)	Mary L.	4	8-26-1903
(9)	William M.		5-24-1904
(10)	Walter S.		7-10-1906

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Willis F. Scales

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Wancy M. Scales

Indian name: unk

Maiden name: Wancy Bagby

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Hall County Ga.

Mother: Gwinnett

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Grimmett County Ga  
Mother: 1111 111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: 1111

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not been

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joseph B. scales	1866	Miami Fla
	James J. 11	1867	Burford Ga
(2)	Walter 11	1870	111 11
(3)	Clarence & 111	1875	11 11
	Travis Cereala 111	1880	11 11
	Corah 111		
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William scales	Benjamin M. Bagby
Ann. Robinson scales	Sallie M. 111

18. Where were they born? she in Hall co. Ga he in N. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grimmett Co. Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Wancy M. scales	Burford Ga
(2)	Marius A. Strupland	111 111
(3)	Eliza Bagby	Dead
(4)	William T. Bagby	Flannery branch Ga
(5)	Mary W. Baker	Dead
(6)	Berry L. Bagby	Burford Ga
	Manina Pirkle	1111 11
	Eupenia Bean	1111 11



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Samuel

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Willis M. Seale son of Waverly M. Seale daughter of Benjamin Bagby he son of Benjamin Bagby and Sally M. Fincher and he son of Benjamin Bagby and the ward and Fincher on the Cherokee Roll of

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Willis M. Seale

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept, 1900.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

G. Paver

and

E. Cloud

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Willis M. Seale

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

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knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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No. 41856

Action: Accepted

Name Creola Leaks and no children. Residence: Buford, Ga.

Reasons:

Cousin of 1904, claims the same name

No. 40856

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

Leala Scales

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA ALDICKWOOD

Attorney at Solicitor.

619 F STREET NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: Loreala Scales

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Surford

3. County: Guinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 26 Born 1880

6. Where were you born? Guinnett county Ga

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: no

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

II. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Willis F Scales

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Waney M Scales

Indian name: unk

Maiden name: Waney M Bagby

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Hall county Ga

Mother: Guinnett Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gammitt county Ga  
Mother: 111 11 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: 1111

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Willis M. Scaly	1862	Buford Ga
(2)	Joseph B. 111	1866	Madison Fla
(3)	James J. 111	1867	Buford Ga
(4)	Lawrence D. 111	1875	111 11
(5)	Walter D. 111	1870	111 11
(6)	Corah 11	1880	111

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William M. Scaly	Benjamin M. Bagby
Ann Robinson 11	Sallie 11 11

18. Where were they born? She is Haul co Ga he is W. Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gammitt co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Wm. M. Bagby	Buford Ga
(2)	Marion Strickland	111 111
(3)	Elias Bagby	Dead
(4)	William S. Bagby	Flaming Branch Ga
(5)	Mary B. Bagby	Dead
(6)	Berry B. Bagby	Buford Ga
	Manana Pirkle	116 11
	Argenio 1111	11 11

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: breaka Seales Daughter of Wamey M. Bagby the daughter of Sallic Fincher the daughter of Alisabeth Ward and the wards and Finchers are on the Cherokee Roll

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Breaka Seales

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec

1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

A. T. Green

and

Miner & Shadburn

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Breaka Seales

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20

years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. T. Green

Miner & Shadburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec

1908.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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No. 46857

Action: Expelled

Name Corah Leake and no children. Residence: Burford, Ga.

Reasons:

Exclusion 1868 Act, claims the same reason



No. 40857

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Leorah. Scaly*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

**BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,**  
Attorney and Solicitor.

6-624 619 F STREET, WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Leorah Scales

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Buford Ga

3. County: Gwinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 26 Born 1880

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett county Ga

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: no

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Willis H Scales

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Wancy M Scales

Indian name: no

Maiden name: Francis M Bagby

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Hall county, Ga

Mother: Gwinnett co Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gwinnett County Ga  
Mother: 111 111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: 1111

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Willis M. Seale	1862	Buford Ga
(2)	Joseph B. 111	1866	Miami Fla
(3)	James J. 111	1867	Buford Ga
(4)	Lelance 111	1875	111 11
(5)	Walter 111	1870	11 11
(6)	Lena 11	1880	11 11

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Seale	Benjamin M. Bagby
Ann Robinson 111	Sallie M. 111

18. Where were they born? She in Haul co Ga he in W Va

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gwinnett co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Fancy M. Bagby	Buford	Ga
(2)	Marius Strickland	111	111
(3)	Albabe Bagby	Dead	
(4)	William T. 111	Flamery branch	Ga
(5)	Mary W. Barker	Dead	
(6)	Bery G. Bagby	Buford	Ga
	Manema Pirkle	1111	111
	Dupont J. Beane	111	11



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Cora Seales daughter Harvey M Bayley and she a daughter of Sallie Fincher she daughter of Elias Fincher and Elsieahthe marel the mardy and Fincher are on the Cheape Ralls

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of tnepercent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Cora Seales

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept

1900.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

V. M. Beard

and

N. G. Dalton

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Cora Seales

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

40 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

V. M. Beard

N. G. Dalton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept

1900.

G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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No. 46558

Action: *Accepted*

Name *James T. Leavis* and *no* children. Residence: *Burford, Va.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of \$6504. Claims the same source.*

No. 40858

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*James T. Seales*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor.

8207 619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James T. Scales

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Buford

3. County: Guinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 40 Born 1867

6. Where were you born? Guinnett co Ga

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: —

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: —

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: —

Father—English name: Willis T. Scales

Indian name: un k

Mother—English name: Wancy M. —

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Wancy M. Bayley

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Hall county, Ga

Mother: Guinnett 111 111

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Guinnett County Ga

Mother: 111 111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 1111

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Willis M Scales	1862	Buford Ga
(2)	Joseph B. 11	1866	Miami Fla
(3)	Clarence D. 11	1875	Buford Ga
(4)	Walter D. 11	1870	111 11
(5)	Jenny Beala 11	1880	111 11
(6)	Corah 11	1880	11 11

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

William Scales  
Lynn Robinson 11

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Benjamin M. Bagby  
Sallie M 111

18. Where were they born? she in Haul co. Ga he in W Va

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Guinnett Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Nancy M Bagby	Buford Ga
(2)	Mariam Spickland	1111 11
(3)	Ellis Bagby	Deer
(4)	William T 111	Floury branch Ga
(5)	Mary A Barker	Deer
(6)	Berry C Bagby	Buford Ga
	Manuma Pirtle	111 11
	Supreme S Beam	111 11



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: James T. Scales son of Francis M. Bagby the daughter of Sallie Fincher the daughter of of Elizabeth Ward the name of the Fincher and wards are on the Cherokee Roll of W. C.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. DC. my true and lawful attorney and all ow hera commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James T. Scales

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

J. A. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept

1900.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

A. G. Green

and

C. D. Toole

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

James T. Scales

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 70 years and

70 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person. He represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. G. Green

C. D. Toole

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept

1900.

J. A. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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Name William T. Tagby No. 4859 and \_\_\_\_\_ children. Action: Reported  
Residence: Flaming Ranch, Ka-

Reasons:

Ind. of 190504. Claims thru same source

No. 40859

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*William J. Bagby*  
7 children

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD

Attorney and Solicitor

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William T Bagby

Indian name: ms k

2. Residence and post office: Flomery, Branch, Ga

3. County: Forrest

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 57 Born 1849

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett county Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Atlantic L, age 58

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Lana Bagby	35	1-2-1872
(2)	Lula	33	1-31-1874
(3)	Frank	31	4-14-1876
(4)	Mirtis	27	12-3-1880
(5)	ballie	24	2-19-1888
(6)	Benjamin	22	12-20-1888
	Clay	19	9-28-1888

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Benjamin Bagby

Indian name: ms k

Mother—English name: Manerva Bagby

Indian name: unpurn

Maiden name: Manerva Fincher

12. Where were they born?

Father: in S. C.

Mother: Paul county Ga



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gummett County Ga

Mother: 1111 111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1864

Mother: 1889

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not known

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Wancy M. Scales</u> <u>nee Bagby</u>	<u>1841</u>	<u>Burford Ga</u>
(2)	<u>J. L. Bagby</u>	<u>1846</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(3)	<u>Mary, W. Barker</u> <u>nee Bagby</u>	<u>1852</u>	<u>11111</u>
(4)	<u>John Berry L. Bagby</u>	<u>1854</u>	<u>Burford Ga</u>
(5)	<u>Marionna Pirkle</u>	<u>1858</u>	<u>1111 11</u>
(6)	<u>Isaac's Beam</u> <u>nee Bagby</u>	<u>1860</u>	<u>111 11</u>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John Bagby  
Wancy Martin

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Fincher  
Mary West

18. Where were they born? in Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gummett Co

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John Fincher</u>
(2)	<u>Jessie 1111</u>
(3)	<u>Sallie 1111</u>
(4)	<u>Berry H 1111</u>
(5)	<u>Joseph 111</u>
(6)	<u>Mary 111</u>
	<u>William 111</u>
	<u>John 111</u>
	<u>Isaac 111</u>
	<u>Henry 111</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: William T. Bayly son  
Manuma Finches the adopted Elias Finches him  
a son of Elizabeth Ward the Wards and Finches are  
on the Cherokee Roll of W. C.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood  
my true and lawful attorney, and allow  
her a commission of ten (10) per cent

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Wm T Bayly)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

Belva A. Lockwood  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept, 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. L. Braddon  
and C. D. Paal, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with William T. Bayly  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and  
12 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. L. Braddon  
C. D. Paal  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept, 1910.

Belva A. Lockwood  
Notary Public.

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No. 40860

Action: *By etc*

Name *Frank Ragby* and *4* children. Residence: *Flaming Branch Ga.*

Reasons:

*cousin of 96804. Claims the same source*

No. 40860

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

Frank Bagby

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

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Attorney and Solicitor,  
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Frank Bagby

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Fleming branch Ga

3. County: Forsyth

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 31 Born 1876

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett Co Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lina — age 28

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Robert Bagby</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10-19-1901</u>
(2)	<u>Mallice III</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2-13-1902</u>
(3)	<u>Darl III</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4-3-1904</u>
(4)	<u>Ammie Bell III</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>9-31-1906</u>
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William T Bagby

Indian name: in K

Mother—English name: Atlantic Bagby

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Atlantic Light

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gwinnett County Ga

Mother: Forsyth III III

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gwinnett County Ga  
Mother: Forsyth 111 111

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: 1111

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
41695	(1) <u>Laney Orr</u> <u>nee Bagby</u>	<u>1872</u>	<u>Flaming Branch Ga</u>
	(2) <u>Lula Buice</u> <u>nee Bagby</u>	<u>1874</u>	<u>11111111</u>
#41696	(3) <u>Mirtis Bagby</u>	<u>1880</u>	<u>11111</u>
	(4) <u>Calie Benson</u> <u>nee Bagby</u>	<u>1883</u>	<u>Living Ga</u>
	(5) <u>Bur Bagby</u>	<u>1885</u>	<u>Flaming Branch Ga</u>
	(6) <u>Clay Bagby</u>	<u>1888</u>	<u>11111</u>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Benson Bagby  
Marionna 11111

18. Where were they born? he in carolina she in hard co Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gwinnett Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>Mary M. Scott</u>	<u>Buford Ga</u>
(2) <u>Marion Strickland</u>	<u>111</u>
(3) <u>Clas Bagby</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(4) <u>William J Bagby</u>	<u>Flaming Branch Ga</u>
(5) <u>Wary Barker</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(6) <u>Wanysa Pirkle</u>	<u>Buford</u>
<u>Berry L. Bagby</u>	<u>1111</u>
<u>Virginia S. Bean</u>	<u>111</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Frank Bagby son of William

T. Bagby son of Sallie Fincher daughter of Elias Fincher  
he son of Elizabeth Ward the mother of and Fincher  
are on the rolls of W. G.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have by affidavit been a lacknosed of  
Washington D.C. my true and lawful attorney  
and alone be 100 ct commission

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Frank Bagby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug. 1907.

G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept.

, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

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Personally appeared before me G. L. Braddon

and C. D. Raul, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Frank Bagby

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 12 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. L. Braddon  
C. D. Raul

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Sept.

, 1910.

G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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40860

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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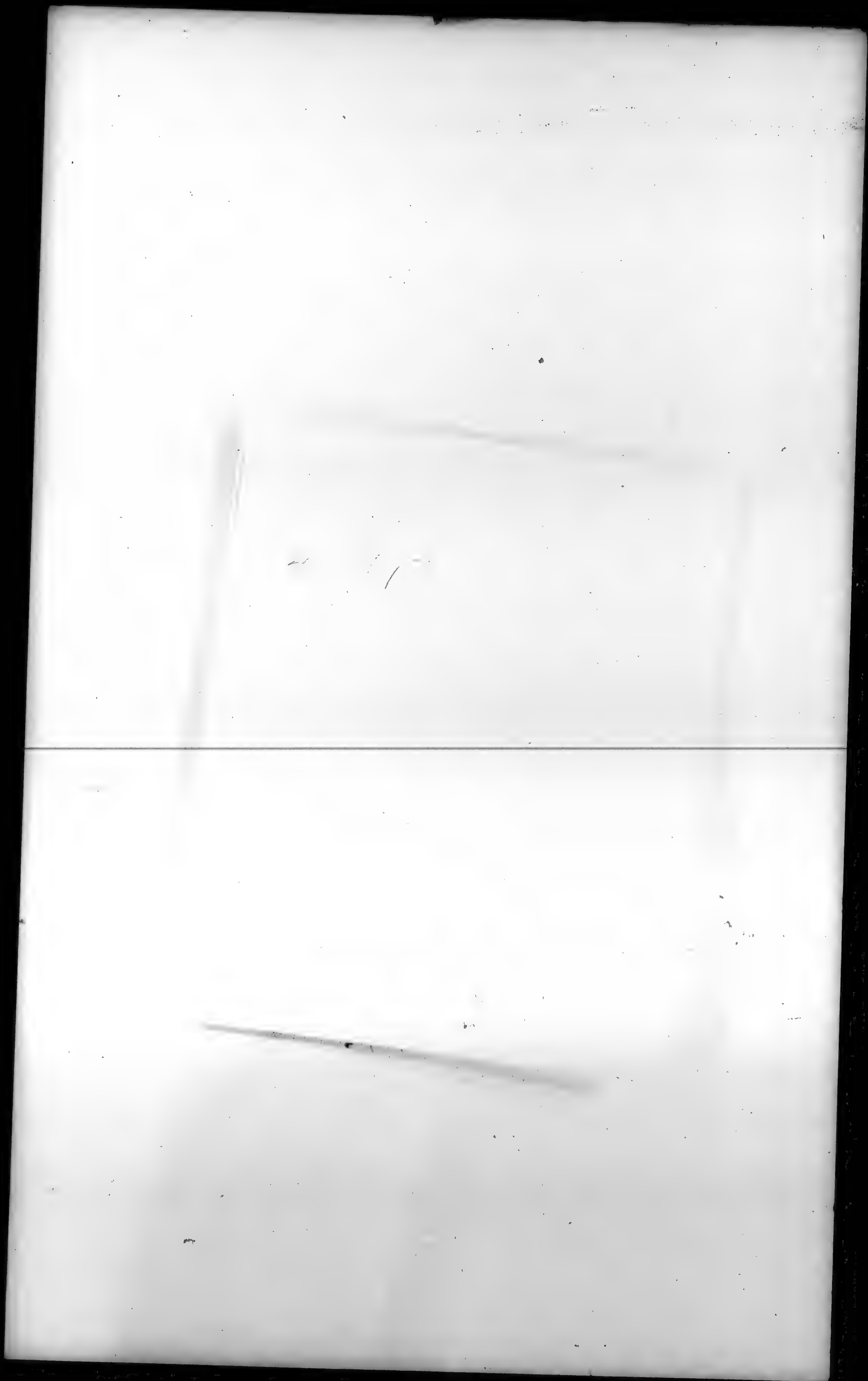
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J. J. Bayne

No. 46861 Action: Reported  
Name Linus Raggs and no children. Residence: Buford, Ga.

Reasons:

Cousin of 6864. Claims that same name



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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Linna Bagby*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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CHEROKEES.

MAY 30 1907

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lenna Bagby

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Buford

3. County: Gwinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 36 Born 1870

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett County Ga

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 00

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME | AGE | BORN |
|-----|------|-----|------|
| (1) |      |     |      |
| (2) |      |     |      |
| (3) |      |     |      |
| (4) |      |     |      |
| (5) |      |     |      |
| (6) |      |     |      |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Elias Bagby

Indian name: unc

Mother—English name: Francis Bagby

Indian name: unc

Maiden name: Francis Wilson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gwinnett County Ga

Mother: 111 11 11

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gwinnett County Ga

Mother: |||| ||| ||

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died about 1875

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: and not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                     | BORN | DIED      |
|-----|--------------------------|------|-----------|
| (1) | Mellie Bagby             | 1867 | Macon Ga  |
| (2) | Sallie Pass<br>nee Bagby | 1872 | Dead      |
| (3) | Eddy Bagby               | 1874 | Buford Ga |
| (4) |                          |      |           |
| (5) |                          |      |           |
| (6) |                          |      |           |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Benjamin M Bagby  
Sallie M ||||

18. Where were they born? she in Haul co Ga he in Carroll

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                     |                    |
|-----|---------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Fancy M. Scalis     | Buford Ga          |
| (2) | Marion A. Stripland |                    |
| (3) | Elias Bagby         | Dead               |
| (4) | William J. Bagby    | Flannery branch Ga |
| (5) | Mary A. Barker      | Dead               |
| (6) | Berry G. Bagby      | Buford Ga          |
|     | Marguerite Pirkle   |                    |
|     | Augustine J. Beam   |                    |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Sienna Bagby Daughter of  
Alial Bagby son of Benjamin Bagby and Sallie Fincher  
she the daughter of Alial and Sallie the parents and Fincher  
are on the Cherokee Roll as W.C.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. DC. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commissio of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Sienna Bagby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

B. Lockwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sep

1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. L. Braddon  
and C. D. Poole, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Sienna Bagby  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. D. Poole

G. L. Braddon

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No. 40862,

Name.

Gar. in J. Morton and 6

children.

Action:

Reject

Reasons:

Nephew of #9, 1860

Residence:

Granby, Mo.

No. 40862-3-4-5-6-7-8

Name Jas. J. Morton

With No. 30762

Remarks:

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No. 408012-50762  
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

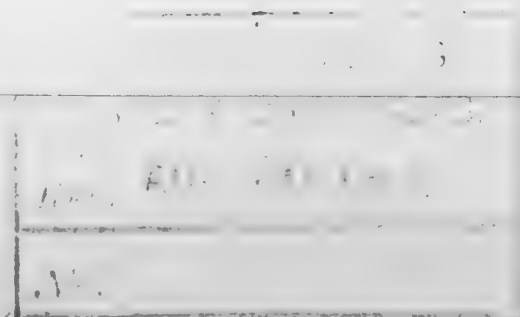
APPLICATION

OF

James J. Morton

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
1<sup>st</sup>, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor.

612 F STREET, NORTHWEST  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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1. State full name—

English name: James J. Morton

Indian name: Brunson

2. Residence and post office: Granby

3. County: Newton

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 45 Born 1861

6. Where were you born? Missouri

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lucindia Whitaker

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>May Adams</u>     | <u>26</u> | <u>1881</u> |
| (2) | <u>Arthur Morton</u> | <u>23</u> | <u>1884</u> |
| (3) | <u>Elta Morton</u>   | <u>20</u> | <u>1887</u> |
| (4) | <u>Laura Morton</u>  | <u>15</u> | <u>1889</u> |
| (5) | <u>Harry Morton</u>  | <u>14</u> | <u>1893</u> |
| (6) | <u>Clude Morton</u>  | <u>11</u> | <u>1896</u> |
|     | <u>Ewendine</u>      | <u>8</u>  | <u>1899</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James J. Morton

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary J. Morton

Indian name: Brunson

Maiden name: Stinson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: Minouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1900

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                    | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>F M Morton</u><br><u>Mo</u>           | <u>1860</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Louise Morton</u><br><u>Granny Mo</u> | <u>1858</u> |       |
| (3) | <u>P a Morton</u><br><u>Granny Mo</u>    | <u>1867</u> |       |
| (4) | <u>Dennie Morton</u><br><u>Granny Mo</u> | <u>1869</u> |       |
| (5) | <u>Allice Morton</u><br><u>Granny Mo</u> | <u>1871</u> |       |
| (6) | <u>Jda Morton</u><br><u>Granny</u>       | <u>1877</u> |       |

*Handwritten notes:*  
PB Morton Mo  
#1315 W 22 St  
Poplar mo  
1879

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

G W Morton

Bena Morton *english*

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Freedan Stinson

letha Stinson

Branson

18. Where were they born? Freedan Stinson Born Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? letha Stinson Georgia

letha in Missouri Branson Mo to cal

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) H E Stinson (Nash)

(2) Mary J Stinson (Morton)

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I am a descendent of  
Obedience Brunson who was a full blood  
eastern Cherokee indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful  
attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Witness  
to his name*  
W.P. Burrer  
Giza Morton

(Signature)

James J. Morton  
*his mark*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug 1907.

L.O. Kelly

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 21, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

John Kingston

and

Ed McPhay

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

James J. Morton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Kingston  
Ed McPhay

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No. 40863

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Jennie Morton* and *x* children. Residence: *Granby, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Piece of #30762*

40863



No. <sup>40863</sup>  
*Piece 7-30762*  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Jennie Morton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jennie Morton

Indian name: Buison

2. Residence and post office: Granby

3. County: Newlin

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 38 Born 1869

6. Where were you born? Missouri

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.       | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|
| (1) |             |      |       |
| (2) |             |      |       |
| (3) |             |      |       |
| (4) | <u>None</u> |      |       |
| (5) |             |      |       |
| (6) |             |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: James T. Morton

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary J. Morton

Indian name: Buison

Maiden name: Slinson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1900

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                   | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>F. M. Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u> | <u>1860</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Louis Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u> | <u>1858</u> |       |
| (3) | <u>J. J. Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u> | <u>1861</u> |       |
| (4) | <u>G. A. Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u> | <u>1867</u> |       |
| (5) | <u>Alice Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u> | <u>1871</u> |       |
| (6) | <u>J. A. Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u> | <u>1877</u> |       |

*Handwritten notes:*  
P. B. Morton Mo 1879  
#1315 W. 22 St.  
Joplin. Mo

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

G. R. Morton

Bena Morton *English*

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Freedom Stinson

Altha Stinson

Brunson

18. Where were they born? Freedom Stinson was born Alabama & Altha in Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Altha in Missouri

Freedom Stinson was dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) H. E. Stinson (Nurse)

(2) Mary J. Stinson (Morton)

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I am a descendant of  
Obedience Brunson who was a full  
Blood Eastern Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint **BELVA A. LOCKWOOD** of Wash. D. C. my true and law  
ful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Jennie Morton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

L O Kelly  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 21, 1911

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. A. Robertson

and J. W. Taylor, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Jennie Morton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Robertson  
J. W. Taylor

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No. 1108611

Action: *Reject*

Name: *David M. McIntosh and 6* children.

Residence: *Granby, Mo.*

Reasons: *Nephews of # 50,621*

*David*

No. 40861  
*Referred* - 30762.  
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Francis M. Morton.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 23, 1906.

6-624

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Francis Marion Morton

Indian name: Bunson

2. Residence and post office: Gladby

3. County: Newton

4. State: Mo

5. How old are you? 47 Born Arkansas 1860

6. Where were you born? Arkansas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Eddie J Lemon

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| NAME.                      | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|----------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) <u>W F Morton</u>      | <u>24</u> | <u>1883</u> |
| (2) <u>Eddie J Morton</u>  | <u>20</u> | <u>1883</u> |
| (3) <u>Allie H Morton</u>  | <u>18</u> | <u>1889</u> |
| (4) <u>B F Morton</u>      | <u>16</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (5) <u>Andy H Morton</u>   | <u>14</u> | <u>1893</u> |
| (6) <u>Ruthie B Morton</u> | <u>6</u>  | <u>1900</u> |
| <u>Colan W Morton</u>      | <u>4</u>  | <u>1903</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Thomas Morton

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary A Morton

Indian name: Bunson

Maiden name: Stinson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1900

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                      | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Louisa Morton<br>Granny Mo | 1858  |       |
| (2) | J. J. Morton<br>Granny Mo  | 1861  |       |
| (3) | J. A. Morton<br>Granny Mo  | 1867  |       |
| (4) | Jennie Morton<br>Granny Mo | 1869  |       |
| (5) | Alice Morton<br>Granny Mo  | 1871  |       |
| (6) | J. B. Morton<br>Granny Mo  | 1877  |       |
|     | J. B. Morton<br>Granny Mo  | 1879  |       |
|     | #1315 W 22. St. Joseph     |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

J. W. Morton  
English

Bena Morton

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Freedman Stinson

Altha Stinson

(Bumada)

18. Where were they born? Freedman Stinson in Alabama  
Altha in Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Altha in Missouri

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                            |           |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------|
| (1) | H. E. Stinson (son)        | Granny Mo |
| (2) | Mary J. Stinson (daughter) | Granny Mo |
| (3) |                            |           |
| (4) |                            |           |
| (5) |                            |           |
| (6) |                            |           |



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J. M. Morton

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Appln. No. 40864-30762.

May 7, 1908.

Francis M. Morton,  
Granby, Missouri.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the Treaties of 1835<sup>6</sup> and 1846?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FS7/ELO.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 14 1908  
No. 5/5 400

appln No 40864 - 30762

May 11 - 08

Grandy Mo

Special Commissioner Indian Claims

Question 1

Why My Parents or Grandparents were never enrolled as eastern Cherokee

To Best of My Knowledge Grandma Bronson enrolled in 1828 in State of Mississippi she claimed to be a Georgia Cherokee

Question No 2

Were you ancestors slave No

Question No 3

Do you Pass for White or Black

We pass for White but there in a Majority of the descendants here who ~~pass~~ Dark Skin tall straight high Cheek bones & Black hair

Question 4

Were any of your ancestors Parties to the Treaty of 1835-6 & 1846

Grandma was in Missouri from 1829 - 1847  
Went to North Missouri then came West in time of Civil War 1861 was in Cherokee Nation

other information

Grandma Bronson was recognized & always called an Indian by her neighbors

Francis M. Morton



No. 40865

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Louisa Morton* and *1* children. Residence: *Pratt, Mo*

Reasons:

*Nephew of # 2000*

40865

10865

No. 30762

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Louisa Morton.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905; and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA A. CHW. C.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Oway Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Lorioria Morton  
 English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Indian name: Branson  
 2. Residence and post office: Glanby  
Newton  
 3. County: Missouri  
 4. State: \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. How old are you? 49 Born 1858  
 6. Where were you born? Missouri  
 7. Are you married? yes  
 8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. C. Piemore 1850  
 9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? eastern Cherokee  
 10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Cora Piemore</u>   | <u>30</u> | <u>1877</u> |
| (2) | <u>Eura Piemore</u>   | <u>28</u> | <u>1879</u> |
| (3) | <u>Thomas Piemore</u> | <u>22</u> | <u>1885</u> |
| (4) | <u>Mary Piemore</u>   | <u>16</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (5) | _____                 | _____     | _____       |
| (6) | _____                 | _____     | _____       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: James Thomas Morton  
 Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother—English name: Mary J. Morton  
 Indian name: Branson  
 Maiden name: Johnson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia  
 Mother: Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Missouri

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1900

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                      | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | F M Morton<br>Grandy Mo    | 1860  |       |
| (2) | G J Morton<br>Grandy Mo    | 1861  | 1879  |
| (3) | G A Morton<br>Grandy Mo    | 1867  |       |
| (4) | Jennie Morton<br>Grandy Mo | 1869  |       |
| (5) | Alice Morton<br>Grandy Mo  | 1871  |       |
| (6) | Jda Morton<br>Grandy       | 1877  |       |

P. B. Morton Grandy Mo

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

|                       |                            |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| G W Morton<br>English | Freedom Shinson            |
| Bena Morton           | Altha Shinson<br>(Brunson) |

18. Where were they born? Freedom Shinson Born Alabama Altha Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Altha in Missouri

Freedom in road

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                         |  |
|-----|-------------------------|--|
| (1) | M E Shinson             |  |
| (2) | Mary J Shinson (Morton) |  |
| (3) |                         |  |
| (4) |                         |  |
| (5) |                         |  |
| (6) |                         |  |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I am a descendent of  
Obedience Brunson who was a full blood  
Eastern Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses to her mark  
L O Kelly  
John Spauld

(Signature)

her  
Louisa Marden  
mar.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of aug, 1907.

L O Kelly

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 21, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. A. Robertson

and

J. W. Taylor

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Louisa Marden

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and

25

years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself

to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Robertson

J. W. Taylor

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Miso.

Appl. # Appl. #40865-30762

Louisa Morton being first duly sworn, deposes and says:  
My name is Louisa Morton. I live at Granby, Mo. I was born in 1857, in Mo. I claim my Cherokee blood through my mother whose maiden name was Mary C. Stinson. My name now is Louisa Prigmore. I made out my application wrong. My mother was born 1837 in Callaway Co., Mo. My mother always lived in Mo. My mother never lived with the Indians. She never rec'd any money or land from the Govt. on account of her Indian blood. She gets her Indian blood through her mother, my grandmother, whose maiden name was Oletha Brunson. She was born in Savannah, S. C. My mother is here and she knows more than I do. Her number is 30762.

(Prigmore)

Louisa Morton

"

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of August, 1908  
at Neosho, Mo.

Harry C. Black.

Asst. to Special Commissioner  
U. S. Court of Claims.

This woman's name is really Prigmore. Morton is her maiden name.

No. 10866

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Alice Morton* and *3* children. Residence: *Granby, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Miss of # 5076*

40866

No. Piece of 30762.  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Alice Morton.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD

ATTORNEY AT LAW

30762 1/2 STREET, NORTHWEST

WASHINGTON, D. C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Alice M. Morton

Indian name: Brunner

2. Residence and post office: Granby

3. County: Yemero

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 36 Born 1871

6. Where were you born? Missouri

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. A. Brackeen

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Thomas Brackeen</u>  | <u>14</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (2) | <u>Ethel Brackeen</u>   | <u>14</u> | <u>1893</u> |
| (3) | <u>Freddie Brackeen</u> | <u>3</u>  | <u>1903</u> |
| (4) |                         |           |             |
| (5) |                         |           |             |
| (6) |                         |           |             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James T. Morton

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Mary J. Morton

Indian name: Brunner

Maiden name: Simon

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1900

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                                     | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>J M Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u>    | <u>1860</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Louisa Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u> | <u>1858</u> |       |
| (3) | <u>E A Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u>    | <u>1867</u> |       |
| (4) | <u>A A Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u>    | <u>86</u>   |       |
| (5) | <u>Hennie Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u> | <u>1869</u> |       |
| (6) | <u>Jda Morton</u><br><u>Granby Mo</u>    | <u>1875</u> |       |

*Handwritten notes:*  
PB Morton  
#1315- W. 22. St.  
poplin. mo.

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

G W Morton

Bena Morton *English*

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Frederick Stinson

Altha Stinson

Brunson

18. Where were they born? Frederick Stinson Born Indiana at the in-corsia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Altha in Missouri  
Frederick since then dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) A E Stinson (Name)

(2) Mary Stinson Morton

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I am a descendent of  
Obedience Brunson who was a full blood  
eastern Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint **BELVA A. LOCKWOOD** of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Alice M. Morton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

J. P. Kelly  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 21, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. A. Robertson  
and J. M. Taylor, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Alice M. Morton  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Robertson  
J. M. Taylor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 21, 1911.

J. P. Kelly  
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No. ~~40896~~ 40897

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Frederic B. Mott* and *3* children. Residence: *Springfield, Mo.*

Reasons: *for age*

40897



No. 40867

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

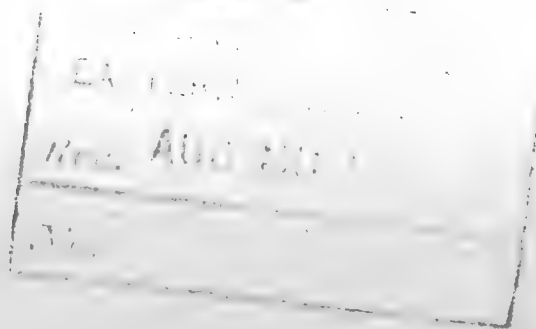
APPLICATION

OF

*Pete B. Morton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decision of the Court of Claims of May  
10, 1909, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Pete B. Morton

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

# 1315 W. 22. St Joplin

3. County:

Jasper

4. State:

Missouri

5. How old are you?

24

Born

Nov 6. 1879.

6. Where were you born?

Granby Missouri

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Adriana Morton 24

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.         | AGE.            | BORN. |
|-----|---------------|-----------------|-------|
| (1) | Claude Morton | Sept 24/7 years | 1900  |
| (2) | Leana Morton  | " 30 / 4 years  | 1903  |
| (3) | Hellen Morton | Jan 27. 2 years | 1906  |
| (4) |               |                 |       |
| (5) |               |                 |       |
| (6) |               |                 |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Jones, J. Morton

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary J. Morton

Indian name:

" " Brunson

Maiden name:

" " Stinson

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Georgia

Mother:

Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Missouri

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1900

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                      | BORN.        | DIED. |
|-----|--|--------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Louisa Morton</u><br><u>Granby</u>      | <u>1858</u>  |       |
| (2) | <u>J. J. Morton.</u><br><u>Granby.</u>     | <u>1861.</u> |       |
| (3) | <u>J. A. Morton.</u><br><u>Granby.</u>     | <u>1867</u>  |       |
| (4) | <u>Jennie Morton.</u><br><u>Granby</u>     | <u>1869</u>  |       |
| (5) | <u>Alice Morton.</u> <u>Granby.</u>        | <u>1871</u>  |       |
|     | <u>Oda Morton</u> " "                      | <u>1877</u>  |       |
| (6) | <u>Pete B Morton</u><br><u>Joplin, Mo.</u> | <u>1879</u>  |       |

*J. M. Morton. 1860  
Granby, Mo.*

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

G. W. Morton.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Freedom Stinson

Bena Morton.

Altha Stinson

Brownson

18. Where were they born? Freedom Stinson in Alabama. Altha in Georgia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Altha in Missouri husband dead.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) H. E. Stinson (Niece) Granby Missouri

(2) Mary J. Stinson (Morton) " " " "

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I am a descendent of  
Obedience Brumson,  
Eastern Cherokee Indian.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. I. CKWOOD of Wash. D.D. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Pete B. Morton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

James H. Potter

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 25<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me R. H. Amos  
and A. V. De Cardoville, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Pete B. Morton  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 24 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. H. Amos

A. V. De Cardoville

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 15 1908  
No. 30762

Grand Mr.  
Aug. 11 1908.

Senior Miller  
Sir,

I received a communication  
from James J. Morton in regard  
to the Cherokee fund and  
sorry to state that  
James J. Morton died Sept. 7  
1907 shortly after making  
his application but he has  
9 children living in Jasper  
Co. Mo.

Respectfully,

Wm. J. Morton  
Cousin Brother.

40867

App. No. 40867

September 18, 1907.

B. A. Lockwood,  
Washington, D. C.

Madam:

Please inform this Office as to the complete address of  
your client, Pete B. Morton.

Very respectfully,

WEA

Special Commissioner.



COUNT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 19 1907  
No.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

601 OURAY BUILDING,

WASHINGTON, D. C. September 18, 1907.

App. No. 40867

B. A. Lookwood,  
Washington, D. C.

Madam:

Please inform this Office as to the complete address of  
your client, Pete B. Morton.

Very respectfully,

*Quinn Miller,*

Special Commissioner.

WEA

*Pete B. Morton  
1315 West 22nd St.  
Joplin,  
Jasper Co. Mo.*

No. 40868

Action: Reject

Name: Wm. Thos. Norton and X children. Residence: Granby, Mo.

Reasons:

Cousin of #30762

40868

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*William Thomas Morton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William Thomas Morton

Indian name: Bumson

2. Residence and post office: Gianty

3. County: Newlin

4. State: Mo

5. How old are you? 24 Born 1883

6. Where were you born? Missouri

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jda May Morton

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) |       |      |       |
| (2) |       |      |       |
| (3) |       |      |       |
| (4) |       |      |       |
| (5) |       |      |       |
| (6) |       |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: J M Morton

Indian name: Bumson

Mother—English name: Emma J Morton

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Emma J Lemons

12. Where were they born?

Father: Arkansas

Mother: Texas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not Born

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 1895

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                      | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Eddie G Morton</u><br><u>Grandy Mo</u>  | <u>1886</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Allie H Morton</u><br><u>Grandy Mo</u>  | <u>1889</u> |       |
| (3) | <u>B F Morton</u><br><u>Grandy Mo</u>      | <u>1891</u> |       |
| (4) | <u>Andy H Morton</u><br><u>Grandy Mo</u>   | <u>1893</u> |       |
| (5) | <u>Bethie R Morton</u><br><u>Grandy Mo</u> | <u>1900</u> |       |
| (6) | <u>Elen W Morton</u><br><u>Grandy Mo</u>   | <u>3</u>    |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Morton (English)  
Brunnen (Indian)

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Lemons English

18. Where were they born? Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Missouri

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                         |               |                    |               |
|-----|-------------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>F M Morton</u>       | <u>Grandy</u> | <u>P B Morton</u>  | <u>Grandy</u> |
| (2) | <u>Louise Morton</u>    | <u>=</u>      | <u>John Morton</u> | <u>=</u>      |
| (3) | <u>A J Morton</u>       | <u>=</u>      |                    |               |
| (4) | <u>E A Morton</u>       | <u>=</u>      |                    |               |
| (5) | <u>Genevieve Morton</u> | <u>=</u>      |                    |               |
| (6) | <u>Alice Morton</u>     | <u>=</u>      |                    |               |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: i am a descendent of  
Obedience Buwren who was a full blood  
Eastern Cherokee indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELV A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful  
attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William Thomas Morton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of aug 1907.

L O Kelly

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 21

, 1901.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J W Kingston

and

Ed Muepley

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

William Thomas Morton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and

25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J W Kingston

Ed Muepley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of aug 1907.

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No. 40869.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Eliz. R. Montiel* and *x* children. Residence: *Whittier, Cal.*

Reasons:

*Boy was born a slave.*

40869



No. 40869-70-3

Name .....

With No. 300

Remarks:

Elizabeth R. Monticelli  
Clay C. "  
May B. "  
Samuel A. "  
Wmmy E. "

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No. 40869

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

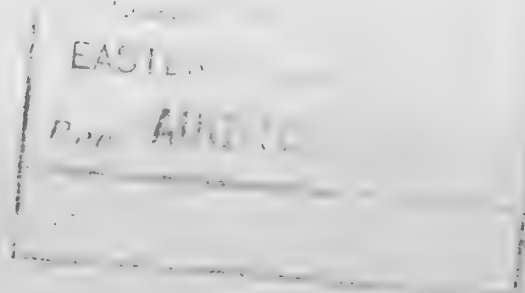
APPLICATION

OF

*Elizabeth H. Montem*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,**

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE. | BORN.         |
|-----|-----------------------|------|---------------|
| (1) | Elizabeth R. Monteith |      |               |
| (2) | Samuel A. Monteith    | 25   | Sept 26, 1879 |
| (3) |                       |      |               |
| (4) |                       |      |               |
| (5) |                       |      |               |
| (6) |                       |      |               |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Jackson N. Caro

Mother: Jackson Co. N. Caro.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 16, 1858

Mother: July 9, 1876

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.              | BORN.         | DIED.         |
|-----|--------------------|---------------|---------------|
| (1) | Manerva A. Fisher  | Nov 15, 1836  | Sept 7, 1870. |
|     | Nancy T. Davis     | Feb 25, 1838. |               |
| (2) | William B. Allen   | Nov 15, 1839  |               |
|     | Joseph J. Allen    | Oct 3, 1841.  | Mar 27, 1865  |
| (3) | Amanda M. Moody    | Oct 3, 1841   |               |
|     | Polly M. Bungarnur | Oct 7, 1845.  |               |
| (4) | Alley C. Montith   | Oct 2, 1847   |               |
|     | Sarah J. McClure   | Jan 8, 1856   | Apr 25, 1902. |
| (5) |                    |               |               |
| (6) |                    |               |               |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

William Allen  
Alley Allen

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Alley Allen

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Waywood Co. N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) William Allen  
(2) Jack Allen  
(3) James Allen  
(4) Joe Allen  
(5) Eliza W. Plott  
(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Nathan Allen, Son of Alcey Allen, Daughter of Edward & Hannah Hyatt, Daughter of Elizabeth Leathwood, who was a daughter of Setsy Walker, a full blood Cherokee Indian, and a sister of Richard REMARKS. or Dick Walker.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

**I HEREBY APPOINT BELVA A. LOCKWOOD OF WASH. D. C. MY TRUST AND LAWFUL ATTORNEY AND ALLOW HER A COMMISSION OF TEN PER CENT.**  
Claimant Elizabeth R. Montith claims through affidavits filed by Alcey C. Montith my sister with the Laws Com. who swore to facts tending to show Cherokee blood of claimant being entitled Alcey C. Montith vs. Cherokee Nation.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elizabeth R. Montith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

W. S. Miller

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 21, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S. L. Montith

and D. M. Gachary, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth R. Montith

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. L. Montith

D. M. Gachary

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

August 21, 1908

W. S. Miller

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40870.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Alcey C. Montieth* and *1* children.

Residence: *Whittier, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Betsy Walker & use*

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No. 10870

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Alcy Monticello  
Catherine Monticello*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LEE WOOD,

Attorney at Law, Solicitor.

1307 619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE. | BORN.          |
|-----|----------------------|------|----------------|
| (1) | May B. Montieth      | 22   | Aug. 15, 1885. |
| (2) | Franklin T. Montieth | 6    | Nov. 13, 1902. |
| (3) |                      |      |                |
| (4) |                      |      |                |
| (5) |                      |      |                |
| (6) |                      |      |                |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Jackson, Co. N.C.  
Mother: Jackson, Co. N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died Dec. 16, 1888,  
Mother: Died July 9, 1886,

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No. Ancestors were enrolled on Father's side.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| NAME.  | BORN.                 | DIED.                  |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------|
| (1) <u>Manervey A. Fisher</u>                                    | <u>Nov. 15, 1836.</u> | <u>Sep. 7, 1870.</u>   |
| (2) <u>Nancy T. Davis</u><br><u>Webster N.C.</u>                 | <u>Feb. 25, 1838</u>  |                        |
| (3) <u>Wm. B. Allen</u><br><u>Beatrice Okla.</u>                 | <u>Nov. 15, 1839.</u> |                        |
| (4) <u>Jos. J. Allen</u>   | <u>Oct. 3, 1841.</u>  | <u>March 27, 1865.</u> |
| (5) <u>Amanda N. Moody</u>                                       | <u>Oct. 3, 1843.</u>  | <u>Dead</u>            |
| (6) <u>Polly M. Bunnamer</u><br><u>Wilmet N.C.</u>               | <u>Oct. 2, 1845.</u>  |                        |
| (7) <u>Elizabeth R. Monnick Whittier</u><br><u>Whittier N.C.</u> | <u>Jan. 28, 1850.</u> |                        |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.       | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------------|----------------|
| <u>Wm. Allen</u>     |                |
| <u>Abigail Allen</u> |                |
|                      |                |
|                      |                |

18. Where were they born? Haywood Co., N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Has not living.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|                         |             |
|-------------------------|-------------|
| (1) <u>Sallie Allen</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
| (2) <u>Hannah Allen</u> |             |
| (3) <u>James Allen</u>  |             |
| (4) <u>Jos. Allen</u>   |             |
| (5) <u>Jac. Allen</u>   |             |
| (6) <u>Wm. Allen</u>    |             |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No. Ancestors were on Father's side.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: By referring to Dawes Commission you will find trace of my Ancestors back to Edward Leatherwood and Betsy Walker, and Betsy Walker was a Cherokee.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Washington D.C. my true and lawful attorney, and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Alcis C. Monteith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 21, 1908

J. Miller  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. H. C. [unclear]

and

Jam. S. Hyatt

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Alcis Catherine Monteith

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and

8 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person. She represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. C. [unclear]

J. S. Hyatt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907

My commission expires

Aug 21, 1908

J. H. C. [unclear]

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40871.

Action: *Repe et.*

Name *May B. Montieith* and *4* children. Residence: *Whittier, M. L.*

Reasons:

*Betsy Walker case*

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No. 10871

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

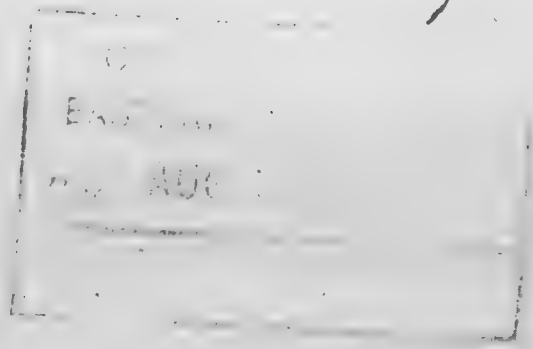
APPLICATION

1 OF

*May B. Montath*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor.

12804 619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*May B. Montieth*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*R. F. D. #1. Whittier,*

3. County:

*Jackson*

4. State:

*N.C.*

5. How old are you?

*22*

Born

*Aug. 15, 1885*

6. Where were you born?

*Swain N.C.*

7. Are you married?

*No*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) |       |      |       |
| (2) |       |      |       |
| (3) |       |      |       |
| (4) |       |      |       |
| (5) |       |      |       |
| (6) |       |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Samuel L. Montieth*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Alice C. Montieth*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Alice C. Gillen*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Jackson Co. N.C.*

Mother:

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13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Jackson Co. N.C.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No. Ancestors were on

Mothers side.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                     | BORN.                  | DIED.                |
|-----|---------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>James B. Monticott</u> | <u>March 12, 1882.</u> | <u>Aug. 2, 1900.</u> |

|     |                              |                       |  |
|-----|------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| (2) | <u>Franklin T. Monticott</u> | <u>Nov. 13, 1902.</u> |  |
|     | <u>Whittier N.C.</u>         |                       |  |

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| (6) |  |  |  |
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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

|  |                        |
|--|------------------------|
|  | <u>Nathan Allen</u>    |
|  | <u>Elizabeth Allen</u> |

18. Where were they born? Haywood Co. N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Jackson Co. N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                         |             |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Marion W. Fisher</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------|

|     |                       |                     |
|-----|-----------------------|---------------------|
| (2) | <u>Nancy D. Davis</u> | <u>Webster N.C.</u> |
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|     |                     |                       |
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| (3) | <u>Wm. B. Allen</u> | <u>Beatrice Okla.</u> |
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|     |                     |             |
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| (4) | <u>Joe J. Allen</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
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| (5) | <u>William D. Moody</u> |  |
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| (6) | <u>Elley M. Bumgarner</u> | <u>Wilmet N.C.</u> |
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|-----|-------------------------------|----------------------|
| (7) | <u>Elizabeth R. Monticott</u> | <u>Whittier N.C.</u> |
|-----|-------------------------------|----------------------|

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No. Ancestors were on

Mother's side.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: By refering to Dawes

Commission you will find trace of my Ancestors back to Edward Leatherwood & Betsey Walker, & Betsey Walker was a Cherokee.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva L. Lockwood of Washington D.C. my true & lawful attorney, and allow her a Commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

May 22 1907

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Aug 1907.

109 miles

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 1

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

May 22 1907

and

John L. Sybil

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

May 22 1907

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

9 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. M. Crow

J. L. Sybil

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

16 day of Aug

1907.

My commission expires

Aug 1

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109 miles

Notary Public.

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No. 40872.

Action: Repeal

Name Samuel A. Monteth and 1 children.

Residence: Whittier, N. C.

Reasons:

Betsy Walker case



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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Samuel L. Nontie*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

2-2807

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Samuel A. Monteith*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Whittier N. C.*

3. County:

*Jackson Co.*

4. State:

*N. Car.*

5. How old are you?

*28*

Born

*Sept 26, 1877*

6. Where were you born?

*Swain Co.*

7. Are you married?

*yes.*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Minnie E. Monteith.*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Eastern Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.     | BORN.               |
|-----|-------------------------|----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <i>Fred B. Monteith</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>Aug 12, 1904</i> |
| (2) |                         |          |                     |
| (3) |                         |          |                     |
| (4) |                         |          |                     |
| (5) |                         |          |                     |
| (6) |                         |          |                     |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*George H. Monteith*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Elizabeth R. Monteith*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Elizabeth R. Allen*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Jackson Co. N.C.*

Mother:

*Jackson Co. N.C.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Jackson Co. N.C.

Mother: Jackson Co.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living.

Mother: Living.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.             | BORN.        | DIED.         |
|-----|-------------------|--------------|---------------|
| (1) | Elbert L. Montith | Oct 23, 1877 | Nov 16, 1903. |
| (2) |                   |              |               |
| (3) |                   |              |               |
| (4) |                   |              |               |
| (5) |                   |              |               |
| (6) |                   |              |               |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Samuel Montith

Nathan Allen

Eug. Allen

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Mary Montith

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Jackson Co. N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Elbert Montith

(2) W. J. Wyatt

(3) Margaret Brown

(4) George H. Montith

(5) Thomas Montith

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Elizabeth R. Montith, Daughter of Nathan Allen, Son of Alley Allen, Daughter of Hannah Hyatt, Daughter of Elizabeth Leatherwood, Daughter of Betsey Walker, a full blood Cherokee Indian, and a sister of Richard or Dick Walker.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Claimant Samuel A. Montith claims through affidavits filed by Alley C. Montith my aunt, with the Laws Com. who swore to acts tending to show Cherokee blood of Claimant. Being entitled Alley C. Montith D.D. Cherokee nation  
(I hereby appoint Belva A. Wood of Washington D.C. my true and lawful atty. and solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
allow her a com. of ten per cent.)

(Signature) Samuel A. Montith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

W. J. Miller  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 21, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Sam. Montith,

and D. M. Zachary, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel A. Montith

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. L. Montith  
D. M. Zachary

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 21, 1908

W. J. Miller  
Notary Public.

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No. 40873.

Action: Reject

Name Mary E. Montieth and 1 children.

Residence: Whittier, N. C.

Reasons:

Betsy Walker case

5200  
No. 40873

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary E. Monticelli*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT  
EASTERN C.  
AUG 1906

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTH EAST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mamie E. Monticott

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Wittier R. H. #1.

3. County: Jackson

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 22 Born May 13<sup>th</sup> 1885

6. Where were you born? Jackson County North Carolina

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Samuel A. Monticott 28.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                     | AGE.     | BORN.                            |
|-----|---------------------------|----------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Fred. B. Monticott</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>Aug. 12<sup>th</sup> 1904</u> |
| (2) | _____                     | _____    | _____                            |
| (3) | _____                     | _____    | _____                            |
| (4) | _____                     | _____    | _____                            |
| (5) | _____                     | _____    | _____                            |
| (6) | _____                     | _____    | _____                            |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: W. H. Ennis

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha Ennis now Martha Scott

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha Hyatt

12. Where were they born?

Father: Jackson County North Carolina

Mother: Jackson County North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Jackson County North Carolina  
Mother: Jackson County North Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Oct. 21st 1900

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                 | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Charlie Enloe</u> |       |       |
| (2) | <u>Ired Enloe</u>    |       |       |
| (3) |                      |       |       |
| (4) |                      |       |       |
| (5) |                      |       |       |
| (6) |                      |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE       | MOTHER'S SIDE          |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| <u>Watson Enloe</u> | <u>Edward G. Hyatt</u> |
| <u>Eriza Enloe</u>  | <u>N. Eriza Hyatt</u>  |
|                     |                        |
|                     |                        |

18. Where were they born? Buncombe Co. N.C. now Jackson

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Haywood County, N.C. now Jackson

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                    |  |
|-----|--------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>W. H. Enloe</u> |  |
| (2) | <u>W. J. Enloe</u> |  |
| (3) |                    |  |
| (4) |                    |  |
| (5) |                    |  |
| (6) |                    |  |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Martha Endor (Pelt) Daughter of Edward T. Hyatt, son of Nathan Hyatt, son of Sam. W. Hyatt, daughter of Elizabeth Leatherwood, daughter of Betsy Walker, a full Cherokee Indian, and a sister of Richard or Rich Walker

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint Belva A. Leatherwood of Washington D.C. my true and lawful attorney,  
and allow her a com. of ten per cent.  
Claimant claims through affidavits filed by her mother with the laws  
com. being entitled Martha Endor U.S. Cherokee nation

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mammie E. Monticelli

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 21, 1908.

W. J. Miller  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me D. M. Zachary

and J. E. Varnes, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mammie E. Monticelli

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. M. Zachary

J. E. Varnes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 21, 1908.

W. J. Miller

Notary Public.

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No. 40874

Action: *Reject*

Name *Claburn Bomar* and *—* children. Residence: *Mt. Airy, N.C.*

Reasons: *Sister of #38024*

No. 40874

Name. Clarkman Bonner

With No. 38024

Remarks:

40874

No.

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

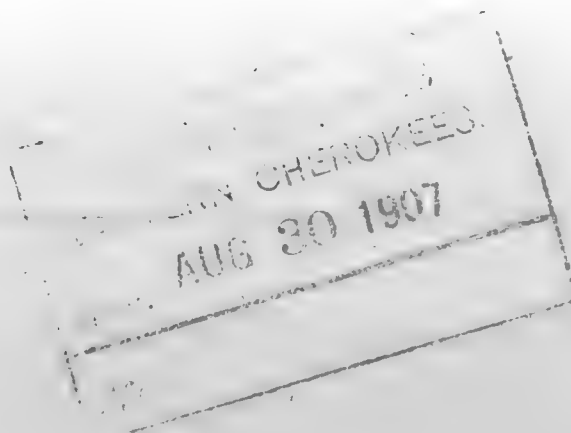
APPLICATION

OF

*Claburn Bomar*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Claburn Bommer*

Indian name:

*none*

2. Residence and post office:

*Mt Airy*

3. County:

*Surry*

4. State:

*North Carolina*

5. How old are you?

*53*

Born

*1854*

6. Where were you born?

*Surry Co NC*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Louisa Bommer - age 51*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.       | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <i>none</i> |      |       |
| (2) |             |      |       |
| (3) |             |      |       |
| (4) |             |      |       |
| (5) |             |      |       |
| (6) |             |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*W. Brown*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Sarah Cox*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Sarah Cox*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*W. Brown*

Mother:

*Hotas Co. NC*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: unknown

Mother: Stotes Co. N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: unknown

Mother: Lincy

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.           | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Lee Bonner      | 1832  |       |
|     | Belle Bonner    | 1846  |       |
| (2) | Louis Bonner    | 1834  |       |
|     | Moula Bonner    | 1848  |       |
| (3) | Isaac Bonner    | 1836  |       |
|     | Caroline Bonner | 1850  |       |
| (4) | Emanuel Bonner  | 1838  |       |
|     | Clara Bonner    | 1852  |       |
| (5) | Pete Bonner     | 1840  |       |
|     | Fanny Bonner    | 1854  |       |
| (6) | Philis Bonner   | 1842  |       |
|     | Rachael Bonner  | 1844  |       |
|     | Atty Bonner     | 1858  |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

unknown

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Sam Abboton

Philis Abboton

18. Where were they born? Stotes Co N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not any N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |              |  |
|-----|--------------|--|
| (1) | John Abboton |  |
| (2) | Sam Abboton  |  |
| (3) | Mena Abboton |  |
| (4) |              |  |
| (5) |              |  |
| (6) |              |  |

Dead  
unknown  
dead

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I claim, through my mother  
Franklin Bonner who was a daughter of Philip  
Obbeton who was a full blood Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Claburn Bonner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

W. R. Bodette  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 6 - 9, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me.

Geo Fulton

and

Riel Jarvis

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Claburn Bonner

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 21 years and

21 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

George Fulton

Riel Jarvis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 6 - 9, 1907. W. R. Bodette  
Notary Public.

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No. 40874.

Miscel.

Claburn Banner being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I was born in slavery times, and think I am about 54 years of age. I was a slave. My father and mother lived at Mt. Airy. My mother told me that I have Indian blood. She told me that her mother was a half Cherokee Indian. Her mother lived down below Germanton, in Forsythe Co. John Banner owned my mother as a slave. Neither <sup>my mother</sup> nor I ever received any money from the Government as Indians, and we were never enrolled as Indians.

*(Signed) Claburn Banner*  
*Copy*

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Pilot Mountain, N.C.  
this 23d day of March, 1908.

Assistant to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.



No. 408/5

Action: Report

Name Miss Hunter and children Residence: London, N.C.

Reasons: ...

No. 40275

Name. [illegible]

With No. [illegible]

Remarks: 4 E

No. 40875

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

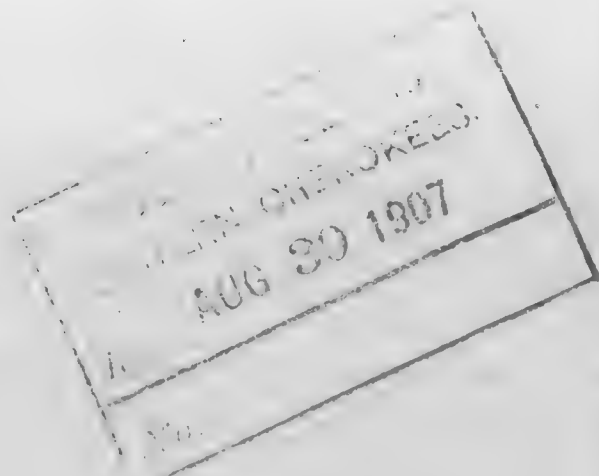
APPLICATION

OF

*Viola Hunter*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BETTY A. LOCKWOOD

Director  
NORTHEAST  
S. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Viola Hunter

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Shore

3. County: Yadkin Co

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 22 Born Dec-12-1884

6. Where were you born? Yadkin Co NC

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Chas. Hunter age 26

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Descendant Cherokee Indian

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.     | BORN.                |
|-----|------------------------|----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Rosa Lee Hunter</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>March 9, 1906</u> |
| (2) | <u></u>                | <u></u>  | <u></u>              |
| (3) | <u></u>                | <u></u>  | <u></u>              |
| (4) | <u></u>                | <u></u>  | <u></u>              |
| (5) | <u></u>                | <u></u>  | <u></u>              |
| (6) | <u></u>                | <u></u>  | <u></u>              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: J Thomas Rixdug

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Josa Rixdug

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Josa. Harrison

12. Where were they born?

Father: Forsyth Co NC

Mother: " " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: ..

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME. (Riding)                 | BORN.         | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Lillie Riding<br>Pelat mtn. ne | Dec. 12, 1884 |       |

|     |                              |               |  |
|-----|------------------------------|---------------|--|
| (2) | Rose Riding<br>Pelat mtn. ne | Oct 22 - 1889 |  |
|-----|------------------------------|---------------|--|

|     |                                |                 |  |
|-----|--------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| (3) | Dallie Riding<br>Pelat mtn. ne | Dec - 14 - 1891 |  |
|-----|--------------------------------|-----------------|--|

|     |                                 |              |  |
|-----|---------------------------------|--------------|--|
| (4) | Matthie Riding<br>Pelat mtn. ne | May 1 - 1894 |  |
|-----|---------------------------------|--------------|--|

|     |                              |               |  |
|-----|------------------------------|---------------|--|
| (5) | Home Riding<br>Pelat mtn. ne | Aug 23 - 1897 |  |
|-----|------------------------------|---------------|--|

|     |                                |            |  |
|-----|--------------------------------|------------|--|
| (6) | Bessie Riding<br>Pelat mtn. ne | Mar 2 1895 |  |
|-----|--------------------------------|------------|--|

|   |                               |  |  |
|---|-------------------------------|--|--|
| 7 | Calmon Riding - Sept 3 - 1900 |  |  |
|---|-------------------------------|--|--|

|   |                          |  |  |
|---|--------------------------|--|--|
| 8 | Eva Riding - Mar 20 1903 |  |  |
|---|--------------------------|--|--|

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible: Aug 8 - 1882

FATHER'S SIDE  
John Riding  
Nancy Riding

MOTHER'S SIDE

unknown

John Riding

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? unknown

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |               |      |
|-----|---------------|------|
| (1) | Mary Dilworth | Died |
|-----|---------------|------|

|     |           |      |
|-----|-----------|------|
| (2) | Lida Ring | Died |
|-----|-----------|------|

|     |            |         |
|-----|------------|---------|
| (3) | Nancy Ring | unknown |
|-----|------------|---------|

|     |  |  |
|-----|--|--|
| (4) |  |  |
|-----|--|--|

|     |  |  |
|-----|--|--|
| (5) |  |  |
|-----|--|--|

|     |  |  |
|-----|--|--|
| (6) |  |  |
|-----|--|--|

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835. I claim through my father J. Thomas Ridg  
and his father John T. Ridg. and his mother Pally Ridg who was  
a daughter of Thomas and Betty Poindester = Betty Poindester was  
Betty Pledge before marriage and granddaughter of Donohoe  
a Cherokee Indian chief.  
REMARKS:  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash.D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

W. A. Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

J. M. Whittington  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March, 1908

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me D. R. Williams  
and J. T. Ridg, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Viola Hunter  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. R. Williams  
J. T. Ridg

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My commission expires

March, 1908 J. M. Whittington  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 20 1908

No. 40873-

January 16/88  
Shore N.C.

Dear Sir,

you would  
know if I was any kin  
to you of Indian  
Dona and  
John P. and  
it is said that  
the trailer

Violet H. and  
you kin &c

v



No. 40876.

Reason: *Reject*

Name *Mary L. Simmons* and *6* children. Residence: *Brine, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 38065.*

No. 110876.

Name Mary J. Linn

With No. 34065

Remarks:

40876

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

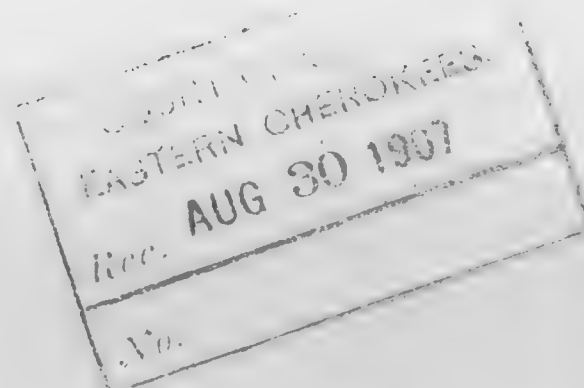
APPLICATION

OF

*Mary L Simmons*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA L. LOCKWOOD

Commissioner of the Bureau of Indian Affairs

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary L. Simmons

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Bein NC.

3. County: Stokes

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 40 Born May 2-1867

6. Where were you born? Stokes Co. NC

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 1st. Husband = Henry Chilton (decd)  
2nd. Riley Simmons = Age 34

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Descendant Cherokee Indian

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.            | AGE. | BORN.           |
|-----|------------------|------|-----------------|
| (1) | Lois Leak        | 19   | Jan 13 - 1888   |
| (2) | Lora Chilton     | 17   | Sept. 16 - 1889 |
| (3) | Marshall Chilton | 16   | Apr 24. 1891    |
| (4) | Anna Simmons     | 10   | Dec - 17 - 1896 |
| (5) | Ray Simmons      | 8    | Apr 10 1899     |
| (6) | Heater Simmons   | 7    | June 12, 1900   |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Isaac A. Tilly

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Martha J. Tilly

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Martha J. Simmons

12. Where were they born?

Father: Stokes Co NC

Mother: " " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Stokes Co NC

Mother: Stokes Co NC

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                    | BORN         | DIED           |
|-----|-------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| (1) | Louisa V Jackson        | Stokes Co NC | Brum           |
|     |                         | #2           | Jan 3-1884     |
| (2) | Wm A Tilly              | Brum NC      | #1 Oct 22 1858 |
| (3) | John R Tilly            | Westfield NC | Jan 28-1858    |
| (4) | Margaret J Redgers      | Indiana      | July 14-1868   |
|     | <del>Emma B Tilly</del> |              |                |
| (5) | Rose L Tilly            | Westfield NC | Jan 6-1872     |
|     | Luella Voreder          | Westfield NC | Jan 6 1872     |
| (6) | Robert E Tilly          | Died         | April 30-1881  |
| 7   | Emma F Tilly            | Brum NC      | Dec-1-1869     |
|     |                         | Westfield NC |                |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Aaron Tilly  
Lockey Tilly

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Wm Simmons  
Phoebe Simmons

18. Where were they born? Stokes Co NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Stokes Co NC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |              |             |
|-----|--------------|-------------|
| (1) | Wm M Tilly   | Living      |
| (2) | John H Tilly | Died        |
| (3) | Alex Tilly   | Living      |
| (4) | Mat Tilly    | Died        |
| (5) | Lucy A Tilly | Copeland NC |
| (6) | Aaron Tilly  | Died        |
| 7   | Louise Tilly | Messanville |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I claim through my father Joel A. Tilly and my mother Ann Tilly and my great grand mother Elizabeth (Harris) Tilly a daughter of Wm Harris and who was half Cherokee Indian.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary L. Simmons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

W R B adgett  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 6, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Mrs L V Harris

and

John M. Flippin

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mary L. Simmons

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 16 years and

25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Mrs L V. Fordner

John M. Flippin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 6, 1909. W R B adgett  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 45877

Action: Repat.

Name J. Herman Pickering, and 10 children. Residence: Pilot Mountain, N.C.

Reasons: Permit to stay

No. 40877.

Name J. H. W. R. d.

With No. 1000000

Remarks: 13.



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

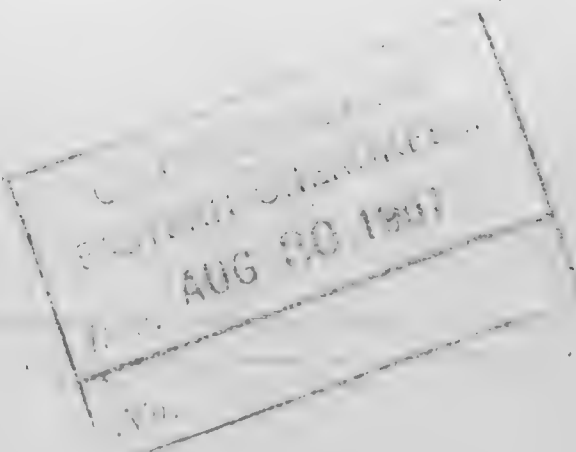
**APPLICATION**

**OF**

*J Thomas Rildy*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**BEINA A. LOCKWOOD.**

Attorney and Solicitor.

2377 612 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

20. Give names of all their children, a

(1) *Sandy Rildy*

(2) *Doris Rildy*

(3) *Arch Rildy*

(4) *Thos Rildy*

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

*Arch*

*Arch Rildy*

*he lived in Tennessee*

No. 40877

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

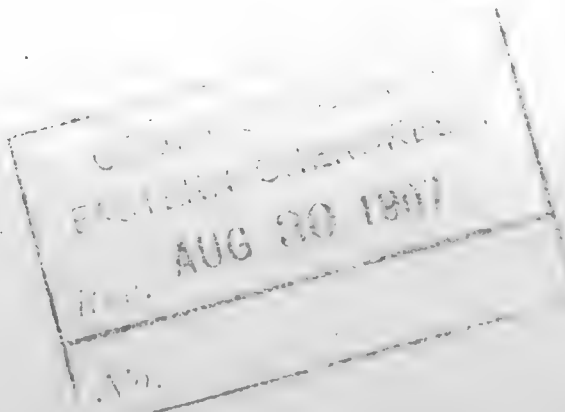
APPLICATION

OF

*J. Thomas Riling*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD.

Attorney and Solicitor.

612 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: J Thomas Riding

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Pilot Mountain N

3. County: Ouray

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 42

Born

April 13-1868

6. Where were you born? Forsyth Co NC.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Josa Riding - Age 41

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Descendant of Cherokee Indian

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|   | NAME.                  | AGE.      | BORN.                |
|---|------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| (1)   | <u>Viola Hunter</u>    | <u>22</u> | <u>Dec-12-1884</u>   |
| (2)   | <u>Lillie Riding</u>   | <u>20</u> | <u>Dec-12-1886</u>   |
| (3)   | <u>Rosa Riding</u>     | <u>17</u> | <u>Oct-22-1889</u>   |
| (4)   | <u>Dolly Riding</u>    | <u>15</u> | <u>Dec, 14-1891</u>  |
| (5)   | <u>Mattie Riding</u>   | <u>13</u> | <u>May-1-1894</u>    |
| (6)   | <u>Fanny Riding</u>    | <u>10</u> | <u>Aug-23-1897</u>   |
|   | <u>7 Berkie Riding</u> |           | <u>March-25-1895</u> |
| 11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: |                        |           |                      |
|   | <u>8 Colman Riding</u> | <u>6</u>  | <u>Sept-3-1900</u>   |
|   | <u>9 Ella Riding</u>   | <u>4</u>  | <u>Mar-20-1903</u>   |
|   | <u>10 James Riding</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>Aug-8-1882</u>    |

Father—English name: John J. Riding

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: My mother died when I was four weeks old

Indian name: all

Maiden name: none

Where they lived: none

12. Where were they born?

Father: Unknown

Mother: Unknown



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Forsyth Co NC.  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1868  
Mother: " 1865

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: none

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                          | BORN.      | DIED.       |
|-----|--------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| (1) | Mary Dilworth<br>Forsyth Co NC | about 1858 |             |
| (2) | Jilda Ring<br>Dead.            | about 1865 | about 1892. |
| (3) | Nancy Myers<br>Forsyth Co NC.  | about 1863 |             |
| (4) |                                |            |             |
| (5) |                                |            |             |
| (6) |                                |            |             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.   | MOTHER'S SIDE.                     |
|--|------------------------------------|
| I have always been told my grand father<br>name was Jesse James Ridgely<br>and my grand mother's name<br>was Pally Ridgely | John Stuckbarger<br>-- Stuckbarger |

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? unknown

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |               |                          |
|-----|---------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | Sandy Ridgely | Dead                     |
| (2) | Davis Ridgely | Dead                     |
| (3) | Arch Ridgely  | Unknown - last know of   |
| (4) | Thos Ridgely  | he he lived in Missouri. |
| (5) |               |                          |
| (6) |               |                          |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

I claim through my father John T. Ridley  
and my Grand mother Pally Ridley who was Pally Poudexter  
a daughter of Thos. Poudexter and Betty Poudexter (ne Pledge)  
Betty Pledge was a daughter of a Cherokee Indian chief named Semolow.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

J. Thomas Ridley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

Wm. B. Budge  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug - 6 - 1909

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. P. Gayce

and J. E. Frank, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with J. Thomas Ridley who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 6 months respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

L. P. Gayce  
J. E. Frank

Subscribed and sworn

M. ---

CHILDREN OF POLLY RIDING, DAUGHTER  
OF BETTY PLEDGE POINDEXTER.

John T. Riding:  
40877

Sandy Riding.

Davis Riding.

Arch Riding.

Thomas Riding.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 13 1908  
No. 40877



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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

JAN 10 1908

*J. Thomas Riding,  
Pilot Mountain,  
N. C.*

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether you claim to be an Eastern Cherokee Indian by blood through any other line of descent than through *Donnahor and Bettie Pledge Pinderster*.

If so, set forth fully the name of the ancestor through whom you so claim, who was living in 1835 or 1846, giving his or her full name, and the date of birth and death as nearly as possible, together with the exact place of residence of such ancestor in 1835, or 1846.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JAN 15 1908  
*No.* 40877

Pilot Mountain N.C. Jan 13-1908

Mr Guion Miller  
Washington D.C.

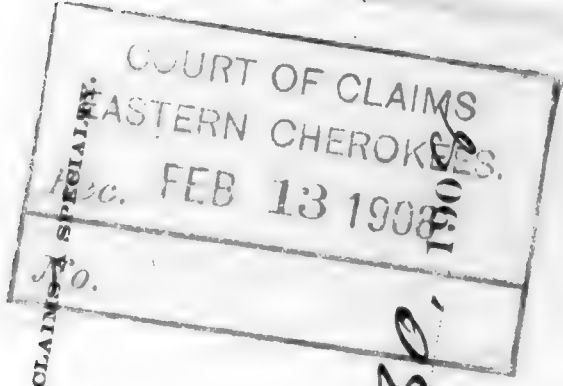
Dear Sir:- Your letter of 10th in  
regard to my application, number  
40877 will say that I do not claim through  
any other person than Donahoe and Betty  
R. Lye Painter -

Yours very truly  
J. H. H. Kelley

PRACTICES BEFORE THE DISTRICT COURTS, UNITED STATES  
SUPREME COURT, AND COURT OF CLAIMS.

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR,  
619 F STREET, N. W.

PENSIONS AND CHEROKEE CLAIMS



Jan. 30, 1908  
Washington, D. C.  
Dear Sir,

The Commissioner, who is  
making up the Eastern Cherokee Roll  
wishes to know if you claim Cherokee Roll  
blood too, your father, or your mother  
or both only and also except Donna ho  
& Betty Pledge provide for.

Yours truly  
Belva A. Lockwood.



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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR,  
619 F STREET, N. W.

PENSIONS AND CHEROKEE CLAIMS A SPECIALTY.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES<br>FEB 13 1906 |
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Washington, D. C., Jan. 30,  
Jas. G. Kiebing Esq.  
Dear Sir,

The Commissioner, who is making up the Eastern Cherokee Roll wishes to know if you claim Cherokee blood thro, your father, or your mother or thro any ancestor except Donna ho & Bettie Pledge Poudexter.

Yours Truly  
Belva A. Lockwood.

1808  
February the  
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Dear Sir I come my Chocolate  
Blood through my Father and I  
come through Mother Thomas Lanier  
and Betsey Pledge Handster

From J. F. Ridgely

To Mr. Belier, at, Lacrosse DC

No. 40878

Action: *Refected*

Name: *Mary Etta Pipins* and *4* children. Residence: *Arum. P. O. Texas*

Reasons:

*The ancestors of applicant, those whom she claims her Cheapeake blood were living in Mississippi in 1835 - Ancestors therefore were not parties to treaties of 1835-6-1846. (See letter herein) Ancestors not on any Eastern Cherokee rolls.*

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Field Texas?  
No. 40878. Wing Co.  
Name Mary E. Ripins  
With No.  
Remarks:

Notified at Bridgeport, but  
not failed to appear.

Awaiting reply to letter.



No. 40878

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

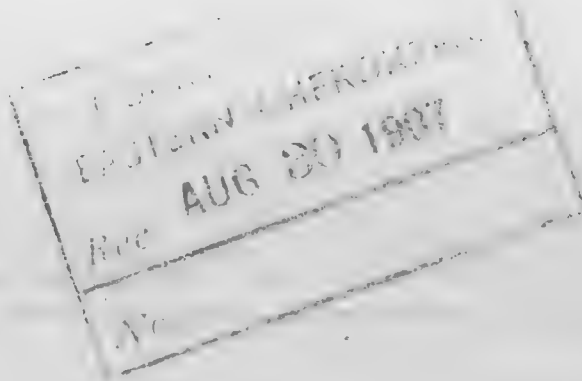
APPLICATION

OF

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA L. LUCKWOLD

Special Agent in Charge

Cherokee, N.C.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

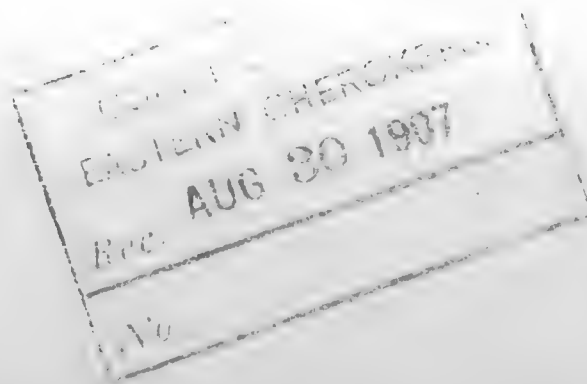
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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD

ATTORNEY AT LAW

MEMPHIS, TENN.

U. S. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Etta Pipins

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Stony Texas Krum P.O.

3. County: Wise.

P.O. # I.

4. State: Texas.

5. How old are you? 30 Born 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May 1877

6. Where were you born? Hudson, County, Texas, near Krum

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: W. H. Pipins 37 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                       | AGE.             | BORN.                 |
|-----|-----------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Charles James Pipins</u> | <u>14 years.</u> | <u>Jan. 15, 1893</u>  |
| (2) | <u>W. T. Pipins</u>         | <u>8</u>         | <u>Nov. 12, 1898</u>  |
| (3) | <u>L. C. Pipins</u>         | <u>6</u>         | <u>Sept. 14, 1900</u> |
| (4) | <u>J. H. Pipins</u>         | <u>3</u>         | <u>Aug. 2, 1904.</u>  |
| (5) | _____                       | _____            | _____                 |
| (6) | _____                       | _____            | _____                 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

W. K. Irwin and wife, before marriage, Lydia Jane Tuttle

Father—English name: W. K. Irwin

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Lydia Jane Irwin

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Lydia Jane Tuttle

12. Where were they born?

Father: Miss

Mother: Alabama.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Miss

Mother: Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec. 22, 1891

Mother: May, 30, 1887

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.   | BORN.                | DIED.       |
|-----|---|----------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Will Irwin</u><br><u>Infant dead</u>         | <u>Dec. 30, 1869</u> |             |
| (2) | <u>Ben Irwin</u><br><u>Infant dead</u>          | <u>1874</u>          | <u>1881</u> |
| (3) | <u>Math. Hooper Irwin</u><br><u>Infant dead</u> | <u>1867</u>          | <u>1879</u> |
| (4) | <u>Sally, Claimed Indian</u>                    | <u>1872</u>          | <u>1884</u> |
| (5) | <u>Lizzie Whitehead Irwin</u>                   | <u>1880</u>          |             |
| (6) | <u>Maudie Wilder Irwin</u>                      | <u>1883</u>          |             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Irwin

Don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Tutt

Grandmother was Cook

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: W. K. Davis + wife Mrs. Tuttle  
Grandparents Mr and Mrs Tuttle Mrs Cook and  
Mr and Mrs Davis

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary Etta Pipins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

J. L. Gammill of Denton County  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Bogus Myers

and Carrie Myers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mary Etta Pipins

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known Her for 4 years and

4 years, respectively, and know Her to be the identical person as represents

to be, and that the statements made by Her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in Said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Bogus Myers

Carrie Myers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909. J. L. Gammill  
Notary Public.

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7.5.7.

Appln. No. 40878.

June 2, 1908.

Mary E. Pippins,  
Stoneypoint, Texas.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your  
parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?  
Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of  
1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor  
through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided  
in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves?  
Do you pass as white or colored in the community in  
which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending  
to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be so received.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

EST/MS.

COURT OF CLAIMS.  
EASTERN CHEROKEE.  
Rec. JUL 16 1908  
No. 40878.

7-10-1708  
Henderson NC

Mr. Miller

Dear Sir in regard to  
my claim I will give

What information

as we get practical

things in the future

by the way and finally

his mother for a

full blooded one

because she married for him

the Indian they lived

in Missouri in 35 and

the Territory in 39

Father came by that and

being the Territory



We have no Family  
Heard of. Was small  
When my Parent died  
I don't Remember much  
about what they  
told me. He did not  
tell us much for he  
did not like to be  
called a Indian. We  
were in the country  
to be White. My mother  
is a white woman. I  
was in Texas also  
grand father. Great night  
have signed the  
Treaty as far as I know.

So I have told all  
I know unless I  
have to go back. After  
I was raised out &  
lost know. I hope I  
could get something  
of his family & get  
he never had but one  
brother - he was to find  
the family & then  
go to the family  
he has  
has been  
many other things  
Krumm B.F.B. / 500

The older children has  
wandered off and I can't  
find them to get what  
they know but there  
is people back there &  
I've raised that for  
knowing my father's  
name know that  
there is a name  
as a child to get  
the name of of  
people & the about guess  
Name of related to the  
something like  
Name

S.P.

- From letter New  
situation of 29th of  
July the 6th of Nov  
and the 1st of Dec  
thence to the 1st of  
Nov 1897 to  
Krumm

Mrs. H. H. H. H.

Krumm  
H. H. 1

Hentons Co  
Texas



SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. Sept. 5, 1908.

Application No. 40878.

Mary E. Pipins,  
Stoneypoint, Tex.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that ~~J. Edward Tyler~~ one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Bridgeport, Tex. on ~~Tues. Sept. 15th~~, 1908, at ~~1 P.M.~~ o'clock, ~~A.M.~~ for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by making inquiry ~~Principal Hotel~~.

~~■~~ If you are enrolled on the Final Rolls of Citizens of the Five Civilized Tribes, you should bring with you the number of your enrollment, and also the number of your Census Card.

~~■~~ Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

*Returned to  
Sender unclaimed*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
REC. SEP 26 1908

No. 40878

Hattie W. Pipins,  
Stoneypoint, Tex.

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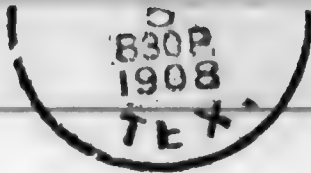
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 26 1908

No. 40878

Hattie W. Pipins,

Stoneypoint, Tex.





No. 40879

Action: Reject

Name: Isaac W. Waters and children. Residence: Mt. Airy N.C.

Reasons:

Incestuous marriage to  
treason of 1835-6-46. Parents and  
grand parents born ~~two~~ <sup>one</sup> hundred or  
more miles from Cherokee Country.  
No affiliation recognition or association  
with Cherokee Indians

40879



Reject ?

No. 40879.

Name Isaac W. Waters

With No. ....

Remarks:

in center now  
lined with chalk

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 40879

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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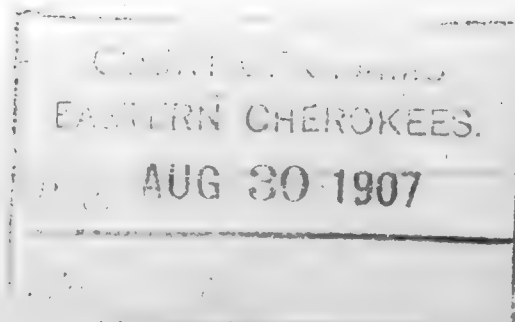
APPLICATION

OF

*Isaac Milton Waters*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1900, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Isaac Mutton Waters (Bluid)  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Mt. Airy  
3. County: Surry  
4. State: North Carolina
5. How old are you? 42 Born 1865  
6. Where were you born? Patrick Co Va  
7. Are you married? No  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Bob McArthur Betty Reynolds  
Father—English name: Bob McArthur  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Betty Reynolds  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Richmond Va  
Mother: Patrick Co

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.              | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Jonas Waters       | 1871  |       |
| (2) | Lizzie Waters.     | 1869  |       |
| (3) | Gertie Jane Waters | 1881  |       |
| (4) |                    |       |       |
| (5) |                    |       |       |
| (6) |                    |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |              |      |
|-----|--------------|------|
| (1) | Becky Cox    | Dead |
| (2) | Caroline Cox | Dead |
| (3) | Lina Cox     | Dead |
| (4) | Emma Cox     | Dead |
| (5) | Ira Cox      | Dead |
| (6) | Susan Cox    | Dead |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: none

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Don't remember the Indian name English given on preceding pages

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Claimants Great Grand mother was 1/2 Bud Indian Squaw I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash.D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of 10%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Isaac Milton Waters

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 27, 1907

John A. Martin

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Squire Martin and Loh Scoles, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Isaac Milton Waters who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 years and 6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

John A. Martin

Signatures of Witnesses.

Squire Martin

B. M. Hatcher

Loh Scoles

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 27, 1907

John A. Martin

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7.5.9.

Appln. No. 40879.

June 2, 1908.

Isaac M. Waters,

Mt. Airy, N. C.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846? Were any of your ancestors ~~slaves~~ Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WWS/HLC.

OFFICE CLAIMS  
CHEROKEES.  
JUN 27 1909

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*and die*

aug 26 1909 in  
Mt Whitney  
Calif

Key  
Mr Guion Miller

Dear Sir  
your letter is at hand & am  
Isaac Miller Waters the blind  
man that works on the flat  
rock that works for the  
Woodruffe and I would  
like for you to work mine  
up for me if you please  
I am not able to spend  
any more on it I am not  
able to do so I would  
like to see you to get  
a bunch of the horses  
and see if I can come and  
treat them for an infirmity  
I am ever yours about

I -



Christmas if you please  
I am about to lose my little  
home is under mortgage &  
Want to get money to pay  
it off if there is any in the  
home for me will you please  
Mark it up for me  
please because some for not  
increasing no longer and I was  
not able to spend money  
and hit trying home and if  
you please do tell you can  
have me and let me hear  
from you at once  
do please let me hear from  
you those millionaires  
the blind man

No. 40880

Action: *Registered*

Name: *Mrs. Louisa C. Kimbro* and *5* children. Residence: *Martin, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Cause of 14819*  
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40880

No.

40885

Name

Dr. J. C. Smith

With No.

14817

Remarks:

40880

No. 4

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mrs. Louisa C. Kimbro*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905; and May 20, 1900.

6-624

*M. M. Reid, Atty.  
Trenton.  
Tenn.*



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Louiza Kimbro

Indian name: Louiza Chappell

2. Residence and post office: Hartsville Tennessee R.F.D. #5

3. County: Weakley

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 47 years old Born Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 1860 A.D.

6. Where were you born? in Hickman County Tennessee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Husband's name is John Albert Kimbro

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.      | BORN.                            |
|-----|----------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Ada Kimbro</u>    | <u>24</u> | <u>Dec 12<sup>th</sup> 1882</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Arthur Kimbro</u> | <u>22</u> | <u>May 1<sup>st</sup> 1884</u>   |
| (3) | <u>Bessie Kimbro</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>Oct 14, 1886</u>              |
| (4) | <u>Emma Kimbro</u>   | <u>17</u> | <u>Sept 26<sup>th</sup> 1889</u> |
| (5) | <u>Ethel Kimbro</u>  | <u>14</u> | <u>Aug 8, 1892</u>               |
| (6) | <u>Hannie Kimbro</u> | <u>6</u>  | <u>June 3, 1901</u>              |
| (7) | <u>Gladis Kimbro</u> | <u>4</u>  | <u>May 31<sup>st</sup> 1903</u>  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:  
Father's name was Elmore Chappell, mother's name was Lucy Ann Howell

Father—English name: Elmore Chappell

Indian name: Elmore

Mother—English name: Lucy Ann Howell

Indian name: Lucy Ann

Maiden name: Howell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hickman County Tennessee

Mother: Hickman County Tennessee

her  
this claim asking for her annuity they  
born 1853, living in Hickman County, Tenn.  
(9) John Benton Chappell born 1853, living in Hickman County, Tenn.  
(10) Nancy Chappell (Prigge) born 1853, living in Hickman County, Tenn.  
(11) Andy Chappell born 1853, living in Hickman County, Tenn.  
(12) Louisa Chappell (Kimbro) the applicant in her age is 47 years old.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Hickman County Tennessee  
Mother: Hickman County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died in Spring of 1861.  
Mother: December 1891.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                        | BORN. | DIED.  |
|-----|------------------------------|-------|--|
| (1) | William Chappell             | 1837  | dead 7 years old                                     |
| (2) | Carroll Huston Chappell      | 1839  | dead -   |
| (3) | Jim Chappell                 | 1840  | in Hickman County Tenn<br>he is living, 66 years old |
| (4) | Jack Chappell                | 1842  | in Hickman County Tenn<br>living, age 64             |
| (5) | Thomas Chappell              | 1845  | in Hickman County Tenn<br>living, age 62             |
| (6) | Evaline Chappell (Daugherty) | 1847  | living, age 60.                                      |
| (7) | Charlie Chappell             | 1849  | living, age 38.                                      |
| (8) | Joe Chappell                 | 1851  | living, age 36.                                      |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|           | FATHER'S SIDE.  | MOTHER'S SIDE.  |
|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|
| English - | Drewry Chappell | Lucy Ann Howell |
| Indian    | Drewry          | Howell          |

18. Where were they born? in Hickman County Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hickman County Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Elmore Chappell died in Hickman County Tennessee
- (2) Alcel Chappell died in Hickman County Tennessee
- (3) Nancy Chappell (Kimbro) died in Stewart County Tennessee
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

English -  
Indian

19. Wht

18. Wht

(9) John Benton Chappell Born 1853, lives in Dixon County Tenn  
(10) Mandy Elizabeth Chappell (Pryce) Born 1855  
(11) Carl E. Chappell Born 1857  
(12) Louisa Chappell (Kimbrough) the applicant is  
her age is 47 years old -

This claim asking for her annuity due

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13. W



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mrs. Louiza<sup>her</sup> (Chappell) Kimbro

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907  
Aug 26 1907

R D Wilson Clerk Co Court  
Gibson Co Tenn Notary Public.

My commission expires

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Albert A Adcock

and

Charlie Hammetton

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Louiza (Chappell) Kimbro

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and

25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Albert A. Adcock

Charlie Hammetton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

26<sup>th</sup>

day of

Aug

1907.

My commission expires

July 1907

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of Aug

R D Wilson

Gibson Co Tenn Notary Public.

Notary Public

R D Wilson Clerk Co. Court

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|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |             |
| Rec.                                  | JUN 22 1908 |
| No.                                   | 14819       |

14819

Martin Tennessee June 1908

State of Tennessee County of Weakley. Affidavit in Cherokee Indian Claim No 40880. On this 18<sup>th</sup> day of June 1908, personally appeared before me W. W. House a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid commissioned and qualified as such Mrs Louiza Kimbro a citizen of Weakley County, Tennessee, a person with whom I am well acquainted, and whom I certify to be credible, respectable and trustworthy, and whose statements, when made under oath, are entitled to full faith and credit in any Court of Justice in the State, or in any department of the United States Government. The said Mrs Louiza Kimbro having been by me first duly sworn, according to law, deposes and says: That she has appointed H. H. Reid, of Trenton, Tennessee, as her lawful attorney to prosecute this claim to collection, for which she agrees to pay him Ten percent, of the amount coming to her children in this case. The number of my claim on file with Hon. Guion Miller, Special Commissioner at Washington D. C. is No 40.880. As supplement to what I have already deposed which is on file with said Special Commissioner I further state I do not know why my Grandfather Drue Chappell nor my Father John, E. Chappell were not enrolled in 1851. I never heard of such a thing until I filed my claim in this cause. I do not know where they lived in 1835-46 none of my people were slaves that I ever heard of. My Grandfather Drue Chappell and my Father John, E. Chappell were Eastern Cherokee Indians and come from Cherokee County North Carolina. <sup>For further proof</sup> See Affidavits of Willie Booker, of Dyle Tennessee, H. Elagett Centerville Tennessee, and Sam Nelson of Dickson Tennessee and others whose affidavits are on file with H. C. Richardson papers, acting as Attorney at Dickson Tennessee for my brother Jim, Chappell and others of my Father's children. My original name before I married was Louiza Kimbro. Chappell " Louiza <sup>her</sup> Kimbro <sub>mark</sub>  
Attest W. W. House (Seal)

Sworn to and subscribed before me by Mrs. Louiza Kimbro This the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June 1908. I further certify I am not directly or indirectly interested in the prosecution of this case. In testimony whereof I have hereunto signed my name and official seal of my office on this The 18 day of June 1908.

W. W. House  
Notary Public

# 40 880



18th Civil District of Western County State of Tennessee  
These contracts subscribed and sworn to before me this Aug 27<sup>th</sup> 1907  
Notary Public

My Commission expires July 1911

Trenton Tenn August 26<sup>th</sup> 1907

I the undersigned J. Albert Kimbro and wife Louiza — Kimbro agree to pay M. M. Reid Ten percent of <sup>her Mrs Louiza Kimbro's</sup> ~~our~~ prorata of the Eastern Cherokee Indian Tribe annuities appropriated by the United States Congress May 28<sup>th</sup> 1906. for services rendered by him in helping us procure said funds - and this is an order on Mr. Guion Miller Special Commissioner at Washington, D. C. for said amount. The residue Ninety percent to be forwarded to us at Martin Tenn our Post Office

J. A. Kimbro (Seal)  
Louiza <sup>his</sup> Kimbro (Seal)  
mark

Trenton Tenn August 26<sup>th</sup> 1907

I the undersigned J. B. Chappell agree to pay to M. M. Reid Trenton Tenn Ten percent of my pro-rata of the Eastern Cherokee Indian Tribe — annuities appropriated by the United States Congress <sup>my no 25 1887/82 already filed</sup> May 28<sup>th</sup> 1906. This is for services rendered by him in helping <sup>me</sup> ~~us~~ procure said funds; and this is an order on Mr. Guion Miller Special Commissioner at Washington D. C. for said amount. The residue Ninety percent to be forwarded to me at Trenton Tenn my Post Office. J. B. Chappell

Mr. Guion Miller  
Dear Friend: I am allowed by the laws of the United States government to charge the above fees as their Attorney please answer: if not so hat fees am I entitled to. If not allowed to charge please forward back to me. — Standing Prefer you to our Congress-  
man Hon. Denis J. Garrett of the 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District of Tennessee.  
Respectfully M. M. Reid



18<sup>th</sup> Civil District of Gibson County State of Tennessee  
~~These~~ These contracts subscribed and sworn to before me this Aug 27<sup>th</sup> 1907  
Notary Public

J. S. Dent  
My Commission expires July 1911

My Commission expires July 1911  
The Commission of the Notary Public of the State of Tennessee is hereby renewed for the term of four years from the date of the expiration of the term of the last Commission of the Notary Public of the State of Tennessee. The Commission of the Notary Public of the State of Tennessee is hereby renewed for the term of four years from the date of the expiration of the term of the last Commission of the Notary Public of the State of Tennessee. The Commission of the Notary Public of the State of Tennessee is hereby renewed for the term of four years from the date of the expiration of the term of the last Commission of the Notary Public of the State of Tennessee.

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POWER OF ATTORNEY.

*Annie Moniek Howell*

TO

*James F. Leighton and  
W. H. Dietz,*

Dated ..... 1



ODDEN BROS & CO., PRINTERS, KNOXVILLE, TENN.

## KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

That

*Annie Moriah Horwell*have made, constituted and appointed, and BY THESE PRESENTS do make, constitute and appoint *James F. Linton with Dietz of Kingston**Tennessee* my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name, place, and stead

to represent me in my application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the act of Congress approved June 30 1906, in accordance with the decision of the Court of Claims of May 18 1905, and May 28 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokee, and to receive and receipt for any money payable on the same.

giving and granting unto my said attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully, to all intents and purposes, as I might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said attorney or his substitute shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 29

day of *August*One Thousand *Nine* Hundred and *Seven*

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED IN THE PRESENCE OF

*J. G. Cummings*  
*Ed. Braxton**Annie Moriah Horwell* [SEAL]*mon* [SEAL]

[SEAL]

STATE OF TENNESSEE,

*Roan*

COUNTY.

ss.

On the 29 day of *August*, One Thousand *nine* Hundred and *seven* before me,  
*J. C. Pope* clerk of Courtof the County of *Roan* in the State  
of *Tennessee* appeared *Annie Moriah*  
*Horwell*.personally known to me to be the real person whose name  
subscribed to the foregoing POWER OF ATTORNEY, as having executed  
the same and then acknowledged the execution thereof as *he*  
free act and deed.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL.

*J. C. Pope*  
*Clerk Roan County*



## KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

That

*Annie Moriah Horwell*

have made, constituted and appointed, and BY THESE PRESENTS do make, constitute and appoint *James F. Linton W. H. Dietz of Kingston Tennessee my*

true and lawful attorney for me and in my name, place, and stead to represent me in my application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the act of Congress approved June 30 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18 1905, and May 28 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokee, and to receive and receipt for any money payable on the same

giving and granting unto *my* said attorney<sup>o</sup> full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully, to all intents and purposes, as *I* might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that *my* said attorney<sup>o</sup> or *his* substitute shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, *I* have hereunto set *my* hand and seal the *29* day of *August* One Thousand *Nine* Hundred and *Seven*

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED IN THE PRESENCE OF

*J. G. O'Connell*  
*Ed. W. Martin*

*Annie Moriah Horwell* [SEAL]  
*mon* [SEAL]  
[SEAL]

STATE OF TENNESSEE,

*Roan*

COUNTY.

ss.

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*J. C. Pope* Clerk of Court  
*Roan*

of the County of *Roan* in the State  
of *Tennessee* appeared *Annie Moriah Horwell*.

personally known to me to be the real person whose name  
subscribed to the foregoing POWER OF ATTORNEY, as having executed  
the same and then acknowledged the execution thereof as *he*  
free act and deed.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL.

*J. C. Pope*  
*Clerk Roan Co. Ct.*



No. 40881.

Name

Lorena W. Morris and 5 children.

Action

Reject.

Reasons:

Claims through same source as No. 31011;  
rejected for same reasons.

Residence:

Montgomery, W. Va.

40881

No. 40881

Name Lorena W. Morris

With No. 31011

Remarks:

✓  
No. 10881

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

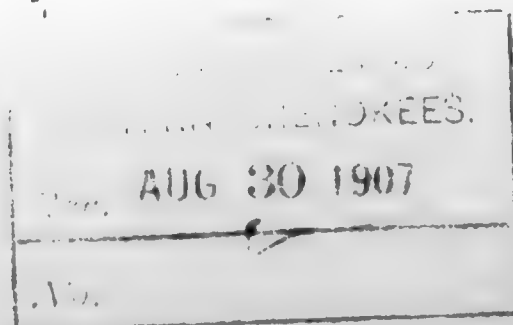
APPLICATION

OF

*Lorena White Morris.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

0-024



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Mrs Prena (White) Morris*

Indian name:

*Claimed to be Cherokee descent,*

2. Residence and post office:

*Montgomery*

3. County:

*Fayette Co*

4. State:

*West Va.*

5. How old are you?

*about 40*

Born

*Apr 14<sup>th</sup> 1867.*

6. Where were you born?

*on Bear Creek Kanawha Co.*

7. Are you married?

*yes.*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Joseph V Morris, about 46 yrs.*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*\_\_\_\_\_*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                     | AGE.                | BORN.                 |
|-----|---------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Jessie F Nichols</i>   | <i>23</i>           | <i>Aug 4. 1886</i>    |
| (2) | <i>Frankel H Morris</i>   | <i>21</i>           | <i>July 9. 1884</i>   |
| (3) | <i>Hosie Morris Kirby</i> | <i>15</i>           | <i>Mar 23. - 1892</i> |
| (4) | <i>Mary F Morris</i>      | <i>13</i>           | <i>Mar 1st. 1894</i>  |
| (5) | <i>John H Morris</i>      | <i>10</i>           | <i>Sept 26 1896</i>   |
| (6) | <i>Ruth Cecil Morris.</i> | <i>17 Mos. old.</i> | <i>Jan 2. 1906.</i>   |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Isaac White.*

Indian name:

*\_\_\_\_\_*

Mother—English name:

*Lucinda Brauchman White.*

Indian name:

*Claimed to be Cherokee*

Maiden name:

*Lucinda Brauchman.*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*\_\_\_\_\_*

Mother:

*In either Logan Co W. Va. or Putnam Co Ky.*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: In Kanawha Co W. Va then Va

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 1890 or 1891.

Mother: July 11th 1893.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                  | BORN.                               | DIED.   |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| (1) | Andrew J White        | Jan 8. 1801                         | Living. |
|     | Mary Ellen " Miller   | Aug 30. 1857                        |         |
| (2) | David A White         | <del>Oct 1859</del>                 |         |
|     | Salina (White) Tucker |                                     |         |
| (3) | John B White          | I do not know their exact ages. See |         |
|     | Alice White, Miller   | a White statement                   |         |
| (4) | Nelson White          |                                     |         |
|     | Kalala White, Strain  |                                     |         |
| (5) |                       |                                     |         |
| (6) |                       |                                     |         |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Andrew Brauhman  
Mary Kaye or young  
John White

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Sabra (Estep) Brauhman  
Andrew Brauhman

18. Where were they born? Grandmother born in Pike Co, Ky.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Kanawha Co W. Va.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                        |                     |
|-----|------------------------|---------------------|
| (1) | L. D. Brauhman         | Pond Gap W. Va.     |
| (2) | Lucinda Brauhman White | Dead.               |
| (3) | John Brauhman          | Cherokee Co. W. Va. |
| (4) | Celia Brauhman Tucker  | Belva W. Va.        |
| (5) | Emily " Hill           | Greenwood, W. Va.   |
| (6) | Rebecca " Taylor       | Dead.               |
| (7) | Martha " Reynolds      | "                   |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My great grandmother on my mother's side was a daughter of Annie Terry who it is claimed to was of Cherokee blood, and my grandmother on mother's side said the Indians used to make their neighborhood in Pike Co. Ky. their stopping place while passing  
REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.) through  
I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lorena White Morris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of Aug 1907

Vernon C. Champe  
Notary Public  
NOTARY PUBLIC, IN FOR  
FAYETTE COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA.

My commission expires

MY COMMISSION IS FOR LIFE, 1907

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mr. J. Summers

and J. C. Montgomery, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Lorena White Morris

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 27 years and

35 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Mr. J. Summers  
J. C. Montgomery

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

MY COMMISSION IS FOR LIFE, 1907

Vernon C. Champe  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF COMMONS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. FEB 7 1908  
No. 40881

circ. lit.

FEB 7 1908

The Number is ~~41497~~

Montgomery, N.Y.

Feb. 6<sup>th</sup> 09

Hon. Oliver Miller.

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Do you think  
that some time is ex-  
tended for Minorities?  
I would like to know  
so I could have some  
idea when the matter  
would be closed.

I understood that  
it is too late to file  
depositions - except



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on behalf of Minor  
Children, but would  
like to know how much  
longer they file Applications  
for Minor heirs

Have the App. reached  
final consideration yet, and  
to give them if we are on  
the "Inventive roll" or not  
must be I think,

Please let me hear  
from you at earliest possible time,  
Best Rev.

Ms. Anna M. Morris  
Montgomery, Ala

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 31 1908  
No. 40881

circ. let.

JUL 31 1908

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Montgomery, Ala.  
July 29/1905

Hon Guion Miller

Dear Sir:-

I notice in the  
Newspaper where you are  
testing some of the applications  
and would like to know when  
you will get through, and how  
long before the money will be  
distributed

I will be pleased to hear  
from you at earliest possible  
time

My number as recd. for app-  
lication is #881.

Respectfully

Mrs. Larena W. Harris  
Montgomery  
Ala.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 29 1909  
No. 40881

circ. let.

31011



Manfred W. W.

Feb. 24, 1907

Hon. Simon Willer  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir - In regards to  
the Cherokee funds I write  
to you if there is any.

Considering the stipulations

My Mother is 88.  
and would like to travel  
more but can't and must  
be a good while longer.

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1881  
A very sunny day.

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*Melospiza cinerea*  
Hagerman, 1903

No. 40882.

Action: Reject

Name Martha J. Knight and 4 children. Residence: Holden, S. C.

Reasons:

Order of Cary A. York appl. no. 3656 and  
claims the same source.

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No. 40882 -

Name *Martha J. Knight*

With No. 3656

Remarks:

No. 40882

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Barth J. Wright*  
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 30 1907

No.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Martha J. Knight

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Holden, Ga.

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: GA.

5. How old are you? 48

Born 1855

6. Where were you born? Jackson Co. Ga.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 56

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Dora B. Knight</u>   | <u>25</u> | <u>1882</u> |
| (2) | <u>Joseph B. Knight</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>1892</u> |
| (3) | <u>John L. Knight</u>   | <u>13</u> | <u>1894</u> |
| (4) | <u>Mc D. Knight</u>     | <u>12</u> | <u>1895</u> |
| (5) | _____                   | _____     | _____       |
| (6) | _____                   | _____     | _____       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John Venson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Louisa J. Venson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Louisa J. Chastain

12. Where were they born?

Father: Spartanburg, S.C.

Mother: Holden, Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Jackson Co NC

Mother: Jackson Co NC

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1869

Mother: not Dead

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Krum

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME  | BORN. | DIED.       |
|-----|---|-------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Nancy Ann Vinson</u>                             |       |             |
| (2) | <u>Marytha J Vinson</u><br><u>Zacharia J Vinson</u> |       |             |
| (3) | <u>John J Vinson</u>                                |       |             |
| (4) | <u>Jessy Vinson</u>                                 |       | <u>1868</u> |
| (5) | <u>Solomon Vinson</u>                               |       |             |
| (6) |   |       |             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.           | MOTHER'S SIDE.          |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| <u>David Vinson</u>      | <u>William Chastain</u> |
| <u>Nancy A. Chastain</u> | <u>Maria</u>            |

18. Where were they born? In Spaw Twp, NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Thinks Henderson Co NC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|                           |                           |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| (1) <u>William Vinson</u> | <u>James Chastain</u>     |
| (2) <u>John J. Vinson</u> | <u>Eliza Chastain</u>     |
| (3) <u>John Vinson</u>    | <u>William Chastain</u>   |
| (4) <u>Ebbie Vinson</u>   | <u>Nan Chastain</u>       |
| (5) <u>David Vinson</u>   | <u>Thomasa Chastain</u>   |
| (6) _____                 | <u>John Chastain</u>      |
|                           | <u>Elizabeth Chastain</u> |
|                           | <u>India Chastain</u>     |
|                           | <u>Margaret Chastain</u>  |
|                           | <u>Sarah Chastain</u>     |
|                           | <u>Nancy Chastain</u>     |
|                           | <u>Maria Chastain</u>     |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: William Chastain  
Wife name was Annie Motes before she  
was married and was said to be part Cherokee  
in an REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Martha Chastain is my cousin

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Martha J. Knight

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of July, 1907.

M. V. Holden  
Notary Public. S

My commission expires  
at the end of term, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me D. P. Mahaffee  
and N. N. Mahaffee, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Martha J. Knight  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and  
years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Phillips D. P. Mahaffee  
D. V. Mahaffee N. N. Mahaffee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1907

My commission expires  
at the end of term, 190 . M. V. Holden  
Notary Public. S

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 12 1907  
No. 40882

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Mr quion miller  
special commissioner  
my no is 40.882. i want to  
no if my name is sufficiet to  
draw please let me no & oblige

yours very truly  
my adress is  
central. & Co. R F D. no 2.  
pickens. C O.

martha. H. Knight.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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1870  
The year is almost  
over. I have a great deal to  
thank you for. I am  
very much obliged to you  
for the money you have  
sent me. I am  
very much obliged to you  
for the money you have  
sent me.

West Union  
I.C.

No. 40883.

Action: Reject.

Name Lillie E. Vanholin, and 1 children.

Residence: Westminster I. C.

Reasons: Waughter of # 35647.

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No. 40883

Name Lillie E. Vantolier

With No. 35647

Remarks:

✓  
No. 40883

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

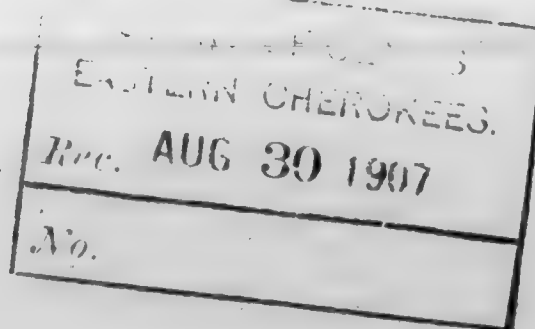
APPLICATION

OF

Lillie Emeline Vankel

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Lillie Emeline Vonholin*

Indian name:

*Lillie Emeline Redmond*

2. Residence and post office:

*Westminster*

3. County:

*Oconee*

4. State:

*S. C.*

5. How old are you?

*26*

Born

*1881*

6. Where were you born?

*Swain Co. N.C.*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Benjamin F. Vonholin*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.             | BORN.       |
|-----|-------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <i>John L. Vonholin</i> | <i>4 years 8</i> | <i>1903</i> |
| (2) |                         |                  |             |
| (3) |                         |                  |             |
| (4) |                         |                  |             |
| (5) |                         |                  |             |
| (6) |                         |                  |             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Lewis B. Redmond*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Addine Malinda Redmond*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Addine Malinda Ladd*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Transylvania Co. N.C.*

Mother:

*Pickens Dist. S.C.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lillian Emeline Vonholin

Indian name: Lillian Emeline Redmond

2. Residence and post office: Westminster

3. County: O'Connor

4. State: S. C.

5. How old are you? 26 Born 1881

6. Where were you born? Swain Co. N.C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Benjamin F. Vonholin

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.             | BORN.       |
|-----|-------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>John L. Vonholin</u> | <u>4 years 8</u> | <u>1903</u> |
| (2) |                         |                  |             |
| (3) |                         |                  |             |
| (4) |                         |                  |             |
| (5) |                         |                  |             |
| (6) |                         |                  |             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Lewis B. Redmond

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Addine Malinda Redmond

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Addine Malinda Ladd

12. Where were they born?

Father: Transylvania Co. N.C.

Mother: Pickens Dist. S.C.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not known

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died April the 5 1906

Mother: not dead

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: yes mother has made application

recently for her children but has heard nothing of it  
since she made

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                  | BORN.            | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------|------------------|-------|
| (1) | Robert N. Redmond      | Oct the 1 1876   |       |
|     | Millie Melinda Redmond | Dec the 12 1876  |       |
| (2) | Louisa Redmond         | March the 4 1880 |       |
|     | Lillie Emeline Redmond | Nov the 9 1881   |       |
| (3) | Ida Redmond            | May the 12 1886  |       |
|     | Ada Redmond            | Aug the 20 1887  |       |
| (4) | Carrie Redmond         | Dec 12 1889      |       |
|     | Lucie Redmond          | Oct 20 1892      |       |
| (5) | Volbert Redmond        | Aug 20 1896      |       |

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Richard Redmond  
Charity Redmond

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thyle Ladd  
Willie Ladd

18. Where were they born? Father Cherokee Co NC and mother in S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? S.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                        |                 |
|-----|------------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Vicie Redmond          | Swain Co NC     |
| (2) | Martha Redmond         | Henderson Co NC |
| (3) | Kimsey Redmond         | Anderson Co SC  |
| (4) | Elizabeth Redmond      | Clarksville Ga  |
| (5) | Margaret Redmond       | Pelzer SC       |
| (6) | Mary Redmond           | Liberty SC      |
|     | Rebecca Heslin Redmond | Ga              |
|     | Lewis R Redmond        | Dead            |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have never put in any claim

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my Grand father Richard Redmond and his claim I think was on quarter Indian some say one half and grand mother about that time

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have heard my father and mother both say that grand father and mother on the father's side was part Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Lillie Emeline Vonholin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug, 1907.

W. V. Holden

Notary Public. S C

My commission expires at

will of Governor, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. T. Biter

and

G. W. Russell

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Lillie Emeline Vonholin

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and

3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. T. Biter

G. W. Russell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

at will of Governor, 190

W. V. Holden

Notary Public. S C

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 23 1908

No. 40883

*Wm. J. ...*

JUN 23 1908

June 22 1907 -

New York City

Guion Miller

Special Commissioner

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir in regard  
to my Application arising  
Eastern Cherokee Claims  
has my Application Ben  
ben Siders or Get  
Application No 10873

Willie C. Von Kollen  
New York City



No. 40884

Action: *Repet*

Name *Elizabeth Chapman* and *X* children. Residence: *Newry, S. C.*

Reasons:

*Applicant claims through Digemore on  
one side #417- and on the other Turners.  
Applicant a sister to John A. Turner (35651)*

40884

No. 40684

Name Elizabeth Chapman

With No. 35657

Remarks:

Elizabeth Chapman  
# 440 884

Claims through  
her grand father  
in father's side  
of Thomas Turner

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec. JAN 8 1909<br>No. |
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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

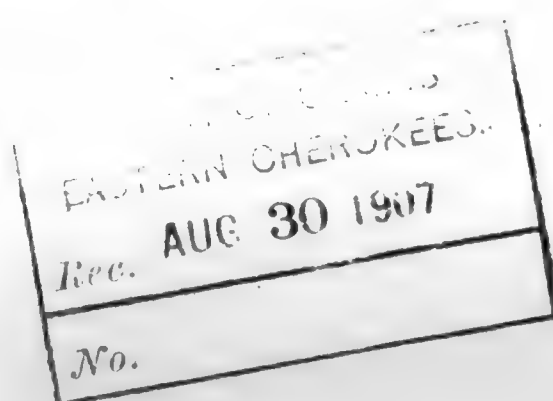
APPLICATION

OF

*Elizabeth Chapman*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624





**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Eliza Chapman

Indian name: Turner

2. Residence and post office: Newry

3. County: Oconee

4. State: S.C.

5. How old are you? about 60 years Born

6. Where were you born? In Pickens Dist. S.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Roseline Moore</u> | <u>41</u> | <u>1866</u> |
| (2) |                       |           |             |
| (3) |                       |           |             |
| (4) |                       |           |             |
| (5) |                       |           |             |
| (6) |                       |           |             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Clack Turner

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Linda Turner

Indian name:

Maiden name: Linda Syzemon

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee N.C.

Mother: Pickens Dist S.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: DC

Mother: 1

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1880

Mother: about 1861

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no not that I know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Hoanah Docking Dead</u>                       |       |       |
| (2) | <u>Mary Couch is</u>                             |       |       |
| (3) | <u>Linda Chapman</u><br><u>Susan Mathis Dead</u> |       |       |
| (4) | <u>John Turner</u><br><u>Half Brother</u>        |       |       |
| (5) | <u>Thomas Turner</u><br><u>Half Brother</u>      |       |       |
| (6) | <u>Julia Turner</u><br><u>Half Sister</u>        |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                        | MOTHER'S SIDE.                          |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| <u>Turner</u><br><u>is all I know</u> | <u>Sygemore</u><br><u>is all I know</u> |

18. Where were they born? Dont know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dont know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                       |  |
|-----|-----------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>Dont any thing</u> |  |
| (2) | <u>of them</u>        |  |
| (3) |                       |  |
| (4) |                       |  |
| (5) |                       |  |
| (6) |                       |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Turner and Bygones

is all I know my father said  
he was half Cherokee Indian

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I can get affidavits from living  
witnesses that I knew my father  
during his lifetime

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Eliza Chapman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of aug, 1907.

W. H. Olden

Notary Public. J. C.

My commission expires

at will of the Govt, 1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

G. W. Leray

and

W. M. Burnett

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Eliza Chapman

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and

15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. W. Leray

W. M. Burnett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

at will of the Govt

W. H. Olden

Notary Public. J. C.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40885.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Stacie E. Holland* and *2* children. Residence: *Calhoun, S. C.*

Reasons:

*Niece of Sany A. York appl. no. 3656 and  
Claims thro same source.*

40885



No. 40885-6

Name .....

With ~~3656~~ 3656

Remarks:

in E4c. file

Shaw & Holland  
Jules N. Barnes

No. 40885

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Stacy Emanuel Root*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| RECEIVED<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec. AUG 30 1907<br>No. |
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Stacie Emmaline (Vinson) Holland

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Calhoun

3. County: Pickens

4. State: S.C.

5. How old are you? 53 years Born April 1852

6. Where were you born? Henderson Co. N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert B. Holland

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages.

|     | NAME.                         | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>J. D. Holland</u>          | <u>33</u> | <u>1874</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mary Maggeline Holland</u> | <u>31</u> | <u>1876</u> |
| (3) | <u>Josephine A. Holland</u>   | <u>29</u> | <u>1878</u> |
| (4) | <u>Robert C. Holland</u>      | <u>25</u> | <u>1882</u> |
| (5) | <u>Dovie A. Holland</u>       | <u>16</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (6) | <u>Connie M. Holland</u>      | <u>13</u> | <u>1894</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John J. Vinson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Louisa J. Vinson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Louisa J. Chastain

12. Where were they born?

Father: Spartanburg Co. S.C.

Mother: Townes Co. Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Jackson Co NC

Mother: Jackson Co NC

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1869

Mother: Not dead

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Dont know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME              | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Nancy Ann Vinson  |       |       |
|     | Martha J. Vinson  |       |       |
| (2) | Elizabeth Vinson  |       |       |
|     | Hester Ann Vinson |       |       |
| (3) | John J. Vinson    |       |       |
|     | Jessy Vinson      |       | 1868  |
| (4) | Salomon Vinson    |       | 1868  |
| (5) |                   |       |       |
| (6) |                   |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.    | MOTHER'S SIDE.   |
|-------------------|------------------|
| David Vinson      | William Chastain |
| Nancy A. Chastain | Ann Chastain     |

18. Where were they born? In Spartanburg Co SC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? I think in Henderson Co NC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                |                    |
|-----|----------------|--------------------|
| (1) | William Vinson | James Chastain     |
| (2) | John J. Vinson | Eliza Chastain     |
| (3) | Orrel Vinson   | William Chastain   |
| (4) | Eddie Vinson   | Van Chastain       |
| (5) | David Vinson   | Thomas Chastain    |
| (6) |                | John Chastain      |
|     |                | Elizabeth Chastain |
|     |                | India Chastain     |
|     |                | Margaret Chastain  |
|     |                | Sarah Chastain     |
|     |                | Nancy Chastain     |
|     |                | Louisa Chastain    |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: William Chastain

his wife name was Mary Ann Hester  
for she married and she was said to  
half Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Reference to Mark Chastain applicant  
will likely state more fully and have been  
informed of previous application

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Stacie Emmaline Hollans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1907.

W. H. Hollans

Notary Public. 86

My commission expires

1st July 1908, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me D. P. Mahaffa

and N. N. Mahaffa, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with S. E. Hollans

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and

years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. P. Mahaffa

D. P. Mahaffa

N. N. Mahaffa

N. N. Mahaffa

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 1907

My commission expires

1st July 1908, 190

Notary Public.

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State of  
County of Pictou

Personall. Came Mark Chastain  
before me and on oath says that he  
has personally acquainted Stacie Emilia Holland  
and Mary Jimmie Daughers of James  
Chastain my uncle and his  
mother Mauden name also in the  
last name Indian and her mother  
a free blood reference to No 8807.

Will more fully explain the same  
Sworn to & subscribed before me this 10th  
day of Aug 1897

Mark Chastain

M. J. [unclear]

[unclear]

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 4 1907  
No. 40885

*Enc. Let.*  
OCT 4 1907

Calhoun S.C.

Oct 2 1907

40885

Dear Sir -  
Received your letter  
speaking of the  
cherries  
I will say that  
I have nothing more  
to say than what  
I have said  
So if there is  
anything coming  
to you please  
send it to my  
address to Mr.  
Blair & Holland  
Calhoun S.C.



No. 40886.

Action:

Reject

Name

J. Norton Barnes and 4 children.

Residence:

Holden, S. C.

Reasons:

Grand niece of Gary A. York appl. no. 3656  
and claims thru same source.

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*2006*  
*at*  
No. 10886

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

*J. H. Barton* OF  
*W. E. Barton* *Barton*  
*R. S. Barton*  
*Chas. H. Barton* *W. E. Barton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec. AUG 30 1907<br>No. |
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jay Lee Foster Burner

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Borden

3. County: O'Connor

4. State: DC

5. How old are you? 53 years

Born 1864

6. Where were you born? DC

7. Are you married? Yes but wife is dead

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Miriam Josephine Burner

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>W. D. Barnes</u>      | <u>23</u> | <u>1884</u> |
| (2) | <u>M. E. Burner-Minn</u> | <u>17</u> | <u>1889</u> |
| (3) | <u>L. O. Burner</u>      | <u>15</u> | <u>1892</u> |
| (4) | <u>Charles R. Burner</u> | <u>13</u> | <u>1894</u> |
| (5) | <u>John A. Burner</u>    | <u>21</u> | <u>1886</u> |
| (6) | _____                    | _____     | _____       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Burner

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Elyse Richman

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Elyse Richman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee

Mother: Cherokee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: A.P.

Mother: A.P.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb 15 1880

Mother: June 1903

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.    | BORN.    | DIED. |
|-----|----------|----------|-------|
| (1) | <u>\</u> |          |       |
| (2) | <u>\</u> |          |       |
| (3) |          | <u>\</u> |       |
| (4) |          | <u>\</u> |       |
| (5) |          |          |       |
| (6) |          |          |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible: \

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

|          |          |
|----------|----------|
| <u>\</u> | <u>\</u> |
| <u></u>  | <u></u>  |
| <u></u>  | <u></u>  |
| <u></u>  | <u></u>  |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |         |         |
|-----|---------|---------|
| (1) | <u></u> | <u></u> |
| (2) | <u></u> | <u></u> |
| (3) | <u></u> | <u></u> |
| (4) | <u></u> | <u></u> |
| (5) | <u></u> | <u></u> |
| (6) | <u></u> | <u></u> |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have never been enrolled

and have no Indian income but my children do

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My mother name was John John  
Lehastin and Grandmother name was Motes an Indian or  
part. part. Indian Reference to No 82 of made by Mads  
Chaostin was more fully

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My wife was a daughter of Alex. S. Chastin  
who was a son of John Chastin a son  
Amos Chastin She was Amos Motes

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of May, 1907.

My commission expires Twice

John Chastin, 190 .

Notary Public. DC

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Chastin

and J. Chastin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Chastin who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John Chastin

J. Chastin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of May, 1907.

My commission expires Twice

John Chastin, 190 .

Notary Public. DC

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40887

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Lurah D. Smith* and *4* children. Residence: *Wm. St.*

Reasons: *Sister of #16173, and claims two*  
*same owner*

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No. 40887.

Name Sarah L. Smith

With No. 16173.

Remarks:

*Letter of 11/16/72*  
No. 40887

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah L. Smith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec. AUG 30 1907<br>No. |
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Sarah L Smith*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Newry*

3. County:

*Oconee*

4. State:

*S.C.*

5. How old are you?

*54*

Born

*1853*

6. Where were you born?

*Pickens Dist S.C.*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*57*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) *Lorensa Smith*

(2) *Katie. Murphree*

(3) *Garrison Smith*

(4) *Albert Smith*

(5) *Malcolm Smith*

(6) *Jesse Smith*

(7) *David Smith*

(8) *Susie Smith*

(9) *Heath Dyer*

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*John Thomas Eads*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Nancy Eads*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Nancy Durham*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*In Pickens Dist S.C.*

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: 22 1/2 twelve mile in Pickens Dist SC

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May the 14 1892

Mother: Jan 1895-

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                        | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Melvin Eads<br>Samuel Eads   |       |       |
| (2) | Francis George<br>Isaac Eads |       |       |
| (3) | Sarah Smith<br>John Eads     |       |       |
| (4) | Taylor B. Eads               |       |       |
| (5) |                              |       |       |
| (6) |                              |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

## FATHER'S SIDE.

FATHER'S SIDE.

John Eads  
Lutie Pilgraminda

## MOTHER'S SIDE.

Isaac Durham  
Fannie Johnson

18. Where were they born? Ireland Anderson Co. S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Don't know when grandpa & aunts died grandpa Durham lived in Pickens Dist. S.C.*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(I) Samual Edd

(2) Thomas Eads

(3) Mattison & Co

(4) John Eads

(5) William Earl

(15) Nancy East.

Polly Eads  
Lena Eads

Haruhiko Endo

Better Ends

Buck Durham

Getting Dussmann

Franklin Durham

Wason Desham

Nancy Durham

Barah Dushan

\_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My relation is that my father said his wife was half Indian she was a Pilgum

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Sarah L. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of aug 1907.

W. V. Holden

Notary Public. 8c

My commission expires

at will of Governor, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. Wise

and John A. Turner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah L. Smith

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Wise

John A. Turner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

at will of Governor, 190 .

W. V. Holden

Notary Public. 8c

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App. No. 40887.

September 18, 1907.

Sarah L. Smith,

Newry, South Carolina.

Madam:

Please inform this Office as to the dates of the births of  
your children, also the name of your husband.

Kindly give this matter prompt attention.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA



Mr. M. J. and Mrs. S. H. Smith  
Clerks - South - 21st

Mr. Smith East - 1st  
Bar - 1st  
Oct 15 1877  
Smith - 1st  
Sept 23 1877  
Bran - 1st

Walter Smith Esq. 15

My dear Sir  
I have the honor to acknowledge  
the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst.  
in relation to the matter of the  
estate of the late John Smith

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Yours,  
Walter Smith

W. S.

No. 40888

Action: Reject

Name Matilda R. Percival and X children. Residence: Seneca S. C.

Reasons: Brother of - # 35641

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No. 40888

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Malinda Narcis Percival*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| U. S. DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR |
| EASTERN CHEROKEES.          |
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| No.                         |



See appn. # 25647

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Melinda Narcis Percival

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Seneca

3. County: O'Connor

4. State: S. C.

5. How old are you? 54 Born Oct the 20 1854

6. Where were you born? In Pickens Dist S.C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 57 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Morgan Redmond

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Comfort Allena Bunch

Maiden name: Comfort Allena Bunch

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee NC.

Mother: In Pickens Dist S.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pickens Dist S.C.

Mother: Pickens Dist S.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1899

Mother: June the 22 1868

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                      | BORN.       | DIED.             |
|-----|----------------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>Benjamin F. Redmond</u> | <u>1856</u> | <u>Don't know</u> |
| (2) |                            |             |                   |
| (3) |                            |             |                   |
| (4) |                            |             |                   |
| (5) |                            |             |                   |
| (6) |                            |             |                   |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.         | MOTHER'S SIDE.                |
|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <u>Savinal Redmond</u> | <u>Jimman (Bunch) Redmond</u> |
|                        |                               |
|                        |                               |
|                        |                               |

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't where grand father was grand mother was in Tex as

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                        |  |
|-----|------------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>Morgan Redmond</u>  |  |
| (2) | <u>Savinal Redmond</u> |  |
| (3) | <u>Kissiah Redmond</u> |  |
| (4) | <u>Richard Redmond</u> |  |
| (5) | <u>Lincoln Redmond</u> |  |
| (6) | <u>Nancy Redmond</u>   |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Can't give any further information except the family record shows that Jeremiah Redmond died Nov 22 1846

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have always been told by my father and mother that they were part Indian of the Choctaw tribe and can give additional testimony if necessary

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Melinda Narcis Percival

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

M. V. Holden  
Notary Public. SC

My commission expires

at will of Governor, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John A. Turner  
and Will W. Keaton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Melinda Narcis Percival who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 years and 9 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John A. Turner  
Will W. Keaton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

at will of Governor, 190 .

M. V. Holden  
Notary Public. SC

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Address: 2000, Leaden Hall

Mrs. Emma Leaden Hall

My dear Emma

I am

Very truly yours

Cecy



# 40888

at the time of the  
the first of the year  
the first of the year  
the first of the year  
the first of the year

Time

COUNT OF CLAIM  
EASTERN CHEROKEE

AUG 26 1907

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W. E. Court of Claims.  
Excise Commissioner  
Union Mills  
Dear Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge  
the receipt of your letter of the  
10th inst. in regard to  
the matter of the  
excise on the  
Union Mills  
and in reply to inform you  
that the same has been  
forwarded to the  
proper authorities for  
their consideration.

Very respectfully,  
W. E. Court

By the Commissioner

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 23 1907  
No. 40888



Application

No 40886

Suma 56

Sept 20 1881

Mr Edwin Miller

Dear Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst.

in relation to the application for a patent for an improvement in the method of making paper and the like.

I am sorry to hear that you are unable to attend to the matter at present.

And Phil.

Mr. W. H. P. -

Dr

I can go back in for a  
(to, and 1/2 year

W. H. P.

App. No. 40888

September 25, 1907.

Mrs. M. N. Percival,

Seneca, South Carolina.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of September 20, 1907, relative to the Eastern Cherokee Enrollment, you are advised that you should make out a sworn statement, stating the names of your four grandchildren referred to in your letter, giving the names of both parents and the ages of each of these grandchildren, giving the day, month, and year. You should also state whether the father and mother of these children are living and whether they were both Eastern Cherokees by blood, also state which one of the parents was your child.

You should retain the card referred to in your letter.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 3 1907  
No. 40888.

*card sent*

*10/4/07*

*Recd*

*10/4/07*

*10/4/07*



State of South Carolina  
Oconee County

Personally appeared before me,  
J. H. Hallman a Notary Public in and  
for the State of South Carolina, Mrs  
M. N. Percival who on oath says  
that she is the grand mother of  
the Jun Chedden herein named  
Died D. L. Sharp Born Aug 12 - 1896  
Anna M Sharp " Nov 10 - 1900  
Lillian P Sharp " Dec 14 - 1903  
and J. F. Sharp Now deceased.

M. N. Percival says the above named  
were the children of  
her son J. A. Sharp who was  
born Dec 12 - 1874 and died  
Aug. 19 - 1903. Their mother was  
Emma Martin Sharp born Sept 10 / 1870.  
She is now alive.

Seen to before me  
Oct 1 - 1907  
J. H. Hallman  
Notary Public  
RC

Helinda M. Percival  
(- 10 -)

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 4 1907  
No. 40888

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DEC 4 1907

App. No 40888

London S.E.

Dec 1. 1901

Mr. Edwin Miller

Dear Sir

I wish to ask of you, Mr. Miller, if this man holds a patent  
any thing to do with what  
is allowed me in this application  
Dear Sir I am very much obliged  
when the application will be  
made most Respy

M. H. Redman

now Mrs M. H. Redman

Ms A 9.5.88

Seneca, N. Y.

Feb 16 1905

Mr. Union Mr.

Dear Sir

I am writing you a letter  
not a very long one but I am  
very glad to get acquainted with you  
and very glad to hear that you  
are. My mother is very well  
to know that you are well and  
we children are very well and  
I am very glad to hear that  
you are well and I am very glad  
to hear that you are well and  
I am very glad to hear that you are well

Yours truly  
John A. Smith  
P. S. I am very glad to hear that you are well and I am very glad to hear that you are well and I am very glad to hear that you are well



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 11 1903  
No. 40888

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MAR 14 1903

SC.

Seneca Mar 9/908

Mr Miller

Dear Sir

I sent  
you a Testimony of Mr T W  
Laid sometime ago. I would  
like to know if you received  
it, and also if it is any use  
for me to try and get  
any more testimony I keep  
hearing something every  
now and then I think I  
can get up something more

by going to Starn co n b  
let me know if I have  
time to go over there and  
get it - if necessary

most Respectfully

Mrs M M Percival

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 22 1908

No.

40888



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.  
WASHINGTON.

May, 20. 1908.

My dear sir:-

Please read  
the enclosed letter and  
let me know some-  
thing as to the status  
of this claim (40888).  
Please return the  
letter to me.

I will greatly appre-  
ciate your attention.

Yours very truly,  
Wyatt Aiken.  
W.A.

How Archibald Hapkins,  
Washington.

COURT OF CLAIMS,  
May 21, 1908.

Respectfully referred to Guion Miller, Esq.,  
Special Commissioner, etc., for consideration and  
reply.

*Aschehold Haptins*

Chief Clerk.

App. No. 40888.

May 22, 1908.

Honorable Wyatt Aiken,  
House of Representatives,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Your letter of May 20, 1908, addressed to Archibald Hopkins, Chief Clerk of the Court of Claims, and inclosing a communication from Mrs. M. E. Percival, of Seneca, South Carolina, has been referred to me for reply.

You are advised that this claim has not yet been taken up for consideration but it will be examined shortly and if any further information is required Mrs. Percival will be duly notified.

It is impossible at this time to say just when the distribution of this fund will be made, as it will first be necessary to have a complete enrollment of all those entitled to share in the fund, and to have this enrollment approved by the Court of Claims. Until this is done no money can be distributed.

There are more than 4,000 applications filed in this office, of claimants residing in all parts of the United States, and these applications will have to be examined, grouped in families, and in many instances testimony will have to be taken in the field before a decision can be reached as to the merits of the claim. This will necessarily take considerable time.

Very respectfully,

W. E. C.

Special Commissioner.

Witness in re

Appln. #40888-35647.

and says: Fogh Allen being duly sworn, deposes

My name is Fogh Allen. I am 82 years old. I have been living in South Carolina practically all my life. I know Malinda Percival and Adaline Malinda Redmond. I knew their father and brothers. They said they were Indian and I do not remember if they said what tribe. They claim through their father, Martin Redmond. He has been dead since before the war. He was not very old. I never heard him say that he got anything from the Government. He was living in S. C. in 1851. I cannot tell why he was not enrolled. They did not seem to know anything about it. He was living in 1851 at Bachelor's Creek. He came from N. C. I cannot tell whether he ever lived with the Indians. He visited the Indians and stayed with them at times. He was recognized as a white man with Indian blood. Martin Redmond's mother was Kizzie Redmond. They were well acquainted with the Indians. I know nothing further about his Indian blood.

*Fogh Allen*  
Signature of witness.

Sworn and subscribed to before me at Walhalla,  
S. C., this 14th day of July, 1908.

Ass't to special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

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Witness in re

Appln. No. 40888-35647.

Misc.

Nancy White, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Nancy White. I have known Malinda Percival and her father. Her father has been dead 8 or 10 years. He had Cherokee Indian blood. I don't think Mr. Redmond was ever enrolled. I think he never heard of the enrollment. He was living near Retreat, quite a distance from the Railroad. He was recognized as an Indian. I don't know whether he visited the Indians. He went to North Carolina once or twice. I do not know whether he ever went west. I do not know whether he had any brothers and sisters. I never heard him say anything about the treaties. He got his Indian blood from his father, and I suppose from his mother too. His father was Samuel Redmond. I did not know Samuel, I only knew Martin. He looked like a full-blood. I do not know whether he ever went west. I never heard that Samuel Redmond ever went west. I know nothing further about this case. I have heard Martin Redmond say that he was quarter and that his father was a half-Indian. The statement made by Fog Allen that Martin Redmond died before the war is incorrect, and also as to claiming through his father.

*Nancy E. White*  
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Walhalla,  
S. C., this 14th day of July, 1908.

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Ass't to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

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R. M. Richardson,  
President.

Jos. W. Phelox,  
Vice-Pres.

F. S. Holleman,  
Cashier.

No 40588

# THE SENECA BANK

SENECA, S. C. 8-22/08

State of North Carolina  
County of Deers  
Personal Come before me  
W. H. Redmond who on  
oath says that he knows  
Mrs R. Percival formerly  
Margaret Redmond the  
daughter of Morgan Redmond  
His deposition is now  
seventy three years old  
and affirms that he has  
heard his father Richard  
Redmond say that his  
father the Grand Father of  
Mr Percival was one half  
Indian and that he  
married a quadroon  
S. M. to J. W. P. M.  
Aug 22/08 J. W. P. M. W. H. Redmond  
M. H.

COUNT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 25 1908  
No.



Seneca 56

Aug 27 1908

Mr Aaron Miller

Dear Sir

I  
sent you a testimony of  
Mr Elmer Dickson. I now  
send you one of what  
W. H. Redman has seen and  
could not find at the time  
that Redman from  
Washington was here

There is two men that  
know my father if I  
need them Please let me  
know. I will have to go  
through the country about  
60 miles to get them

most Respy  
Mrs M n Percival

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES

Rec. FEB 21 1908

No.

40858

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State of North Carolina  
County of Oconee

Personally appeared before me  
J. H. Hallman a Notary Public in  
and for S.C., T.W. Land who on oath  
says that he was personally acquainted  
with Morgan Redmond, the father  
of Mrs John Sharp New Mrs M. H. Currier.  
He further says that Morgan Redmond  
had the appearance of ~~an~~ living medium  
blood in him as shown by his  
color and hair, and that his  
children had the same appearance.  
He further says he is now nearly  
seventy eight years old and  
that he knew the said Morgan  
Redmond from childhood up  
to the time of his death.

Seen to before me  
this the 18 Feb 1908

J. H. Hallman  
N.P. O.C.

his  
J. W. Land  
made



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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 21 1908  
No. 52-9

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George H. ...

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at it, I was put in  
I didn't want  
to go to the  
hospital and nurse  
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and I was in the hospital



OFFICE OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 21 1908  
No.

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information there  
on case

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7. 7th  
8. 8th  
9. 9th  
10. 10th

COUNT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Dec. FEB 21 1908  
No.

No 41534

Seneca, S. C.

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Com. I want to see the old  
D. C. that I could have at  
least 100. But I don't want to  
and they are so old that  
I don't want to see them.

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Seneca St

Oct 30. 1918

Mr. Lyman Miller

Dear Sir

I just learned to my regret  
that the loss of your  
claims were adding to their  
numbers. So I send you

Best Regards

Wm. M. Percival

P.S.

Very truly yours

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 25 1909  
No. 40888

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MAR 25 1909

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Terrace St.

March 22/1904

Mr. Union Miller

Dear Sir

Please let me know  
if my telegram went proper  
or not. If not will I have  
any chance to prove my  
business of all and have learned  
a good deal more

Very truly

Mrs M N Percival

No. 40889.

Action: *Reject*

Name: *John W. Barnes* and *x* children. Residence: *Holden, Ala.*

Reasons:

*Great grand nephew of Sarg A. York appl. no. 3656  
and claims through same source.*

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No. 40889

Name John W. Barnes

With No. 3656

Remarks:

No. 40889

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*John Wiley B. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS. |
| EASTERN CHEROKEES.     |
| Rec. AUG 30 1907       |
| No.                    |

1907

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John Wiley Barnes

Indian name: Dust Arrow

2. Residence and post office: Holocene

3. County: Oconee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 21 years

Born March 1886

6. Where were you born? Pennsylvania Co NC

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) |       |      |       |
| (2) |       |      |       |
| (3) |       |      |       |
| (4) |       |      |       |
| (5) |       |      |       |
| (6) |       |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: J. L. Martin Barnes

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Martha Josephine Barnes

Indian name:

Maiden name: Martha Josephine Conklin

12. Where were they born?

Father: SC

Mother: Pennsylvania Co NC

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Don't know

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: March 1877

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                  | BORN.             | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>W. D. Barnes</u>   | <u>April 1884</u> |       |
|     | <u>W. S. Barnes</u>   | <u>June 1880</u>  |       |
| (2) | <u>W. S. Barnes</u>   | <u>Feb 1885</u>   |       |
|     | <u>Charles Barnes</u> | <u>April 1894</u> |       |
| (3) | _____                 | _____             | _____ |
| (4) | _____                 | _____             | _____ |
| (5) | _____                 | _____             | _____ |
| (6) | _____                 | _____             | _____ |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Eliza Barnes John S. Chastain  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? John Barnes in SC  
and don't know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Don't know
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my Grand father's  
name was John Chastain and his Mother  
name was Anna Motes before Marriage

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The Indian Blood comes from my mother's side  
her Grand mother was Anna Motes and  
she was said to be a Cherokee Indian woman

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John M. G. G. G.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of Aug 1907.

O. W. Holden

Notary Public. 2

My commission expires at the

Expiration of the term, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John M. G. G.  
and Anna Motes, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with John M. G. G.  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
him to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John M. G. G.

Anna Motes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Expiration of the term, 190

Notary Public. 2

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No. 40890.

Action: Reject.

Name Robert A. Reckman and 1 children.

Residence: Murphy S.C.

Reasons: San of # 35647

# 40890

Rott. H. Benthicola

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No. 40800

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Robert Nathaniel Redmond*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

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| RECEIVED<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec. AUG 30 1907<br>No. |
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*Received  
Treasury, Tenn  
1907*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Robert. Nathaniel Redmond

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Murphy

3. County: Pickens

4. State: S. C.

5. How old are you? 31 Born Oct 1 1876

6. Where were you born? Pickens Co S.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Laura Redmond age 24

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.     | BORN.                              |
|-----|--------------------------|----------|------------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Louise E. Redmond</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>Dec 20 1906</u> <u>too late</u> |
| (2) | _____                    | _____    | _____                              |
| (3) | _____                    | _____    | _____                              |
| (4) | _____                    | _____    | _____                              |
| (5) | _____                    | _____    | _____                              |
| (6) | _____                    | _____    | _____                              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Lewis R. Redmond

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Adeline Malinda Redmond

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Adeline Malinda Ladel

12. Where were they born?

Father: Transylvania Co. N.C.

Mother: Pickens Dist. S.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: was not born

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died April 2nd 1906

Mother: not dead

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: my mother <sup>has made</sup> application for her Minor

Children but has not heard from her application

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                   | BORN.        | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------|--------------|-------|
| (1) | Millie Malinda Redmond | Dec 12 1878  |       |
|     | Louisa Redmond         | March 4 1880 |       |
| (2) | Lillie Emeline Redmond | Nov 9 1881   |       |
|     | Ida Redmond            | May 12 1885  |       |
| (3) | Ada Redmond            | Aug 20 1887  |       |
|     | Carrie Redmond         | Dec 12 1889  |       |
| (4) | Lucie Redmond          | Oct 20 1892  |       |
|     | Holbert Redmond        | Aug 20 1896  |       |
| (5) |                        |              |       |
| (6) |                        |              |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Richard Redmond  
Charity Redmond

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thyle Ladd  
Millie Ladd

18. Where were they born? in Cherokee in SC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? SC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                          |                 |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Vien Redmond             | Swain Co NC     |
| (2) | Martha Redmond           | Henderson Co NC |
| (3) | Kimsey Redmond           | Anderson SC     |
| (4) | Elegith Redmond          | Clarksville SC  |
| (5) | Margaret Redmond         | Liberty SC      |
| (6) | Rebecca Hazelton Redmond | Ga              |
|     | Lewis R. Redmond         | dead            |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my grand father Richard Redmond. Claimed to be half one one fourth Indian of the Cherokee tribe & grand Redmond was said to be part Indian of the Cherokee.  
REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have heard my father and mother both say that my grand father and mother Redmond was both Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Robert Nathaniel Redmond

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug 1907.

W. V. Holden (Seal)

Notary Public. 50

My commission expires

at will of Governor, 190 .

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. T. Biter

and G. W. Russell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Robert Nathaniel Redmond

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and

3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. T. Biter

G. W. Russell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

at will of Governor, 190 .

W. V. Holden (Seal)

Notary Public. 50

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No. 40891

Action: Reject

Name: William Arthur and children.

Residence: Greenville, S.C.

Reasons: Ancestor was <sup>not</sup> partner to treaties of 1835-6-46. Parents born prior to 1835 - nearly one hundred miles from Cherokee County - show no affiliation or association with Cherokee tribe.

40891



Register -

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No. 40891.

Name Wm Arthur

With No.

Edo Hall

Remarks:

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with is no. 40896.

none lived with  
Chunhui.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 40801

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*William Arthur*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES |
| Rec. AUG 30 1907                     |
| No.                                  |

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William Arthur

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Greenville

3. County: Greenville

4. State: SD

5. How old are you? 72

Born

Aug the 4<sup>th</sup> 1835

6. Where were you born? Greenville Co., S.C.

7. Are you married? Have been but wives are dead

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.                  | BORN. |
|-----|------------------------|-----------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Fannie Arthur</u>   |                       |       |
| (2) | <u>Julian Arthur</u>   |                       |       |
| (3) | <u>John Arthur</u>     |                       |       |
| (4) | <u>Anderson Arthur</u> |                       |       |
| (5) | <u>Lincoln Arthur</u>  |                       |       |
|     | <u>James Arthur</u>    |                       |       |
| (6) | <u>McLain Arthur</u>   |                       |       |
|     | <u>Roscoe Arthur</u>   |                       |       |
|     |                        | <u>Don't Remember</u> |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Lewis Duke

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Rochie Duke

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Rachie Arthur

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Greenville Dist SD

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Greenville Dist S.C.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dont Remember date

Mother: Died in 1871

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                 | BORN.            | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Callie Arthur</u>  |                  |       |
|     | <u>Heatie Arthur</u>  |                  |       |
| (2) | <u>John Arthur</u>    |                  |       |
|     | <u>Jackson Arthur</u> |                  |       |
| (3) | <u>Thomas Arthur</u>  | <u>Dont Know</u> |       |
|     | <u>James Arthur</u>   |                  |       |
| (4) |                       |                  |       |
|     |                       |                  |       |
| (5) |                       |                  |       |
|     |                       |                  |       |
| (6) |                       |                  |       |
|     |                       |                  |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Dont Know

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Dangerfield Arthur

18. Where were they born? Dont Know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dont Know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                       |  |
|-----|-----------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>Mollie Arthur</u>  |  |
| (2) | <u>Judie Arthur</u>   |  |
| (3) | <u>Thomas Arthur</u>  |  |
| (4) | <u>George Arthur</u>  |  |
| (5) | <u>Willie Arthur</u>  |  |
| (6) | <u>Rachiel Arthur</u> |  |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my mother was half white & half Indian

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My mother was free and my father was a colored man a slave

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William X Arthur

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

W. V. Holman  
Notary Public. S. C.

My commission expires

at the close of the year, 190 .

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. B. Jenkins  
and L. L. Jenkins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William Arthur who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and 7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. B. Jenkins  
L. L. Jenkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

at the close of the year, 190 . W. V. Holman  
Notary Public. S. C.

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App. No. 40891

September 18, 1907.

William Arthur,  
Greenville, South Carolina.

Sir:

Please inform this Office at once as to the ages of your  
children. If you don't know the exact ages, state about what age.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 21 1907  
No. 40891

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TOM C. HAMER, CLERK

RICHARD S. WHALEY, SPEAKER



## Legislative Department

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

COLUMBIA, S. C. 190

Greenville, S.C.,  
Oct. 18, 1907.

Special Commissioner of the  
Court of Claims,  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment,

601 Oway Building,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir,

This is to certify to  
the names and ages of  
my children (Viz.)

|               |   |                      |
|---------------|---|----------------------|
| Fannie Arthur | — | 5' 4" <sup>gr.</sup> |
| Julian        | " | — 5' 2"              |
| John          | " | — 4' 3"              |
| Anderson      | " | — 4' 0"              |
| Lincoln       | " | — 3' 8"              |
| Melvin        | " | — 3' 6"              |
| Rosa Lee      | " | — 2' 4"              |



TOM C. HAMER, CLERK

RICHARD S. WHALEY, SPEAKER



## Legislative Department

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

COLUMBIA, S. C.

190

Jessie Arthur — 21 yrs.

My nieces are  
Florence Arthur — 33 yrs.  
Mamie — 31 "  
Caroline — 29 "

Very Respectfully  
William Arthur

959.

Appln. No. 40891.

June 2, 1908.

William Arthur,

Greenville, S. C.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled. Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

PET/WLO.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Wm. Arthur,  
Greenville,  
S. C.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 40891, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

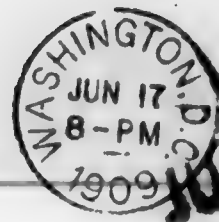
No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

If not called for in 15 days, return to  
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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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William Arthur,

Greenville.

From  
Greenville,  
S. C.  
D. C.



#40891

*not for Will Arthur Jeff Line*



STATION 6

GREENING  
JUL 21 1899  
S 606

No. 41872

Action: Reject

Name Laura Kenton and 2 children. Residence: Newry S.C.

Reasons: Waiver of # 35647.

41872

#40892

Louisa Keaton

40892

40892

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lissa Keaton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Louisa Keaton*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Newry*

3. County:

*Ocmulgee*

4. State:

*SC*

5. How old are you?

*27*

Born

*March 4 1880*

6. Where were you born?

*Swain Co NC*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Will H Keaton*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.     | BORN.           |
|-----|--------------------------|----------|-----------------|
| (1) | <i>Oscar Paul Keaton</i> | <i>4</i> | <i>11/9/03</i>  |
| (2) | <i>John Lee Keaton</i>   | <i>3</i> | <i>11/19/05</i> |
| (3) |                          |          |                 |
| (4) |                          |          |                 |
| (5) |                          |          |                 |
| (6) |                          |          |                 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

*Lewis Richard Redmond Adeline Malinda Ladd*

Father—English name:

Indian name:

*Lewis Richard Redmond*

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

*Adeline Malinda Ladd*

Maiden name:

*Adeline Malinda Ladd*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Transylvania Co NC*

Mother:

*Pickens Dist SC*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1906

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                          | BORN.               | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Millie Nealinda Redmond</u> | <u>Dec 12 1878</u>  |       |
|     | <u>Louisa Redmond</u>          | <u>March 4 1880</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Little Emma Redmond</u>     | <u>Nov 9 1881</u>   |       |
|     | <u>Ida Redmond</u>             | <u>May 12 1885</u>  |       |
| (3) | <u>Ada Redmond</u>             | <u>Aug 20 1887</u>  |       |
|     | <u>Carrie Redmond</u>          | <u>Dec 12 1889</u>  |       |
| (4) | <u>Lucie Redmond</u>           | <u>Oct 20 1892</u>  |       |
|     | <u>Nolbert Redmond</u>         | <u>Aug 20 1896</u>  |       |
| (5) | _____                          | _____               | _____ |
| (6) | _____                          | _____               | _____ |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.         | MOTHER'S SIDE.     |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| <u>Richard Redmond</u> | <u>Thyle Ladd</u>  |
| <u>Charles Redmond</u> | <u>Millie Ladd</u> |

18. Where were they born? Father in Cherokee, NC & Mother in Jefferson Co, NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Liberty SC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                          |                              |
|-----|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Vic Redmond</u>       | <u>Swann Co NC</u>           |
| (2) | <u>Martha Redmond</u>    | <u>Henderson NC</u>          |
| (3) | <u>Kimsey Redmond</u>    | <u>Anderson SC</u>           |
| (4) | <u>Elizabeth Redmond</u> | <u>Clarksville Ga</u>        |
| (5) | <u>Margaret Redmond</u>  | <u>Liberty SC</u>            |
| (6) | <u>Rebecca Redmond</u>   | <u>Ga</u>                    |
|     | <u>Lewis R Redmond</u>   | <u>Dead wife to New York</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grand father  
Richard Redmond and my Grand Mother  
Redmond both were said to be part Indian  
of the Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Father Lewis Richard Redmond was of the  
Cherokee Indian blood so I have been told by  
himself and others from my infancy up to his death

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Louisa Keston

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

W. V. Holden  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

at will of Governor, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S. J. McCall  
and J. E. Revis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Louisa Keston  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. J. McCall  
J. E. Revis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires at will

of the Governor, 190

W. V. Holden  
Notary Public.

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No. 40893

Action: *Deceased*

Name: *Elizabeth Gilham* and ☒ children.

Residence: *Wray, NE*

Reasons:

*Sister of #16173, and claims that  
same female*



No. 40893.  
Name Elizabeth Gilliam.  
With No. 16173.

Remarks:

*Sister of # 16173*

No. 40893

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Elizabeth Gilliam*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| EASTERN CHEROKEES. |             |
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Elizabeth Gilliam

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Newry Po Newry

3. County:

Alcorn

4. State:

D.C.

5. How old are you?

75

Born

6. Where were you born?

Pickens Dist SC

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

John Gilliam

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.           | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Jolly Gilliam   | 41   | 1866  |
| (2) | William Gilliam |      | 1868  |
| (3) | Malinda Walker  |      | 1859  |
| (4) |                 |      |       |
| (5) |                 |      |       |
| (6) |                 |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

John Thomas Eads

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Nancy Eads

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Nancy Durham

12. Where were they born?

Father:

In Pickens Dist SC

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: on Twelve River Pickens Dist S.C.

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died May 14<sup>th</sup> 1892

Mother: " Jan 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                  | BORN.    | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|----------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Miles Eads</u>     |          |       |
|     | <u>Samuel Eads</u>    |          |       |
| (2) | <u>Francis George</u> | <u>D</u> |       |
|     | <u>Isaac Eads</u>     |          |       |
| (3) | <u>Sarah Smith</u>    |          |       |
|     | <u>John Eads</u>      |          |       |
| (4) | <u>Tyler B. Eads</u>  |          |       |
| (5) |                       |          |       |
| (6) |                       |          |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
John Eads Sr  
Lute Pilgram

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Isaac Durham  
Hannie Johnson

18. Where were they born? Ireland Anderson Co. S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Died when Grand pa Eads died Grand pa Durham died 1880 & Grand Ma in 1881

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Samuel Eads  
(2) Thomas Eads  
(3) Mattison Eads  
(4) John Eads  
(5) William Eads  
(6) Nancy Eads  
7 Polly Eads  
8 Sarah Eads  
9 Hannah Eads  
Betty Eads

Buck Durham  
Fatlin Durham  
Franklin Durham  
Abner Durham  
Nancy Durham  
Sarah Durham



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my recollection is that my grand father said his <sup>wife</sup> mother was ~~from~~ <sup>her</sup> own Indian she was a Pilgrim of the Cheroke Indians REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elizabeth <sup>hus</sup> Gilliam

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of aug 1907.

W V Holden Notary Public. 89

My commission expires  
at will of Governor, 190 .

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. Wise  
and John A. Turner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth Gilliam  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and  
6 months years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Wise

John A. Turner

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*Elizabeth Gilliam,*  
*Newry,*  
*S. C.*

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 40893, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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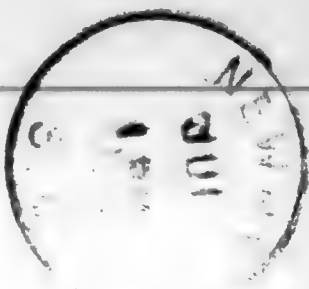
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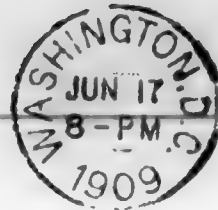
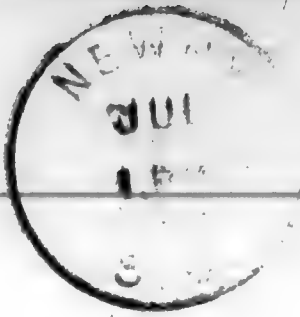
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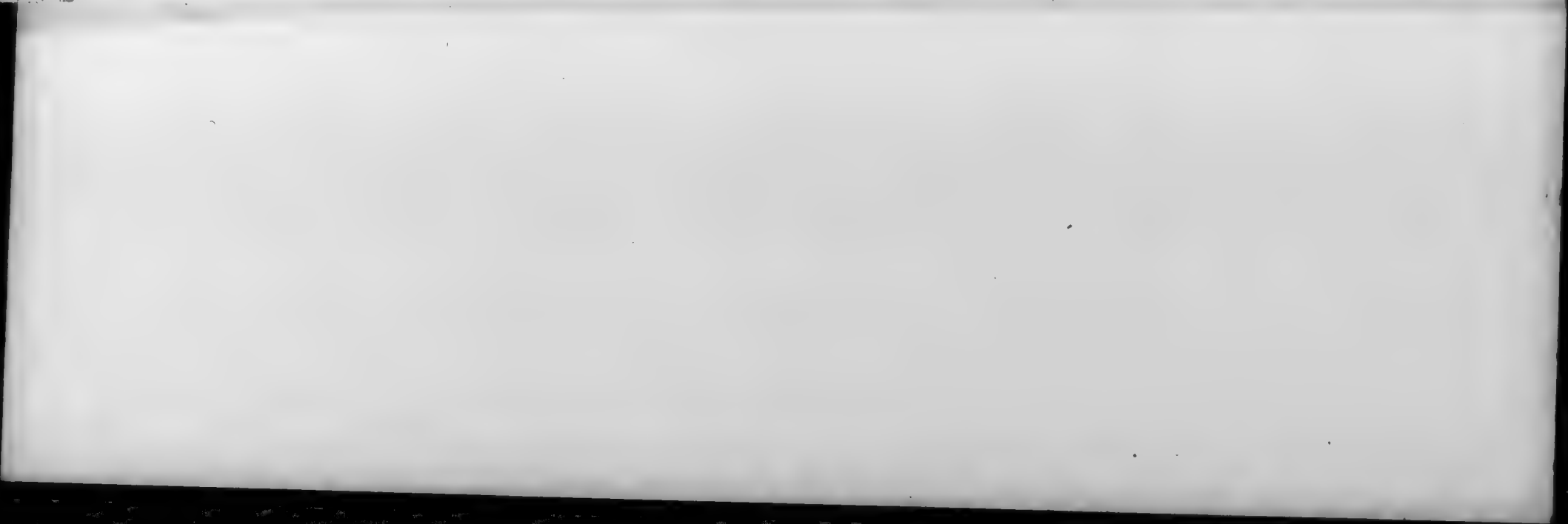
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Elizabeth Gilliam,





No. *H0894.*

Action: *Reject.*

Name *James Burrell* and *4* children. Residence: *Mayueha, S. C.*

Reasons:

*Nephew of Sary A. Yorks appl. no. 3656 and  
Claims Thro same source.*

No. 40894

Name James Burrell

With No. 3656

Remarks:

No. 40894

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James Burrell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| Rec. AUG 30 1907   |
| No.                |



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James Burrell

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Moyncha

3. County: Oconee

4. State: S.C.

5. How old are you? 68 Born Dec 25 1839

6. Where were you born? Horseshoe Fork Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Martha Burrell age 57

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Dont know of any

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Martha Burrell</u> | <u>23</u> | <u>1884</u> |
| (2) | <u>Lewis Burrell</u>  | <u>29</u> | <u>1888</u> |
| (3) | <u>Jessy Burrell</u>  | <u>16</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (4) | <u>Nanner Burrell</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>1893</u> |
| (5) | <u>Mary Burrell</u>   | <u>12</u> | <u>1895</u> |
| (6) | _____                 | _____     | _____       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Martha Burrell

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Nancy Chastain

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Nancy Chastain

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Georgia

Mother: S.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In S.C.

Mother: In S.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1879

Mother: not dead

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME  | BORN. | DIED.       |
|-----|---|-------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Martha Gibson N.C.</u><br><u>Fida Ridley in S.C.</u> |       |             |
| (2) | <u>Michael Burrill</u><br><u>Arten Gibson Ga</u>        |       | <u>Dead</u> |
| (3) | <u>Demella Frazer N.C.</u><br><u>Ali Burrill Ga</u>     |       |             |
| (4) | <u>Rubin Burrill Ga</u><br><u>Bicie Clark N.C.</u>      |       |             |
| (5) | <u>Bulda Welch N.C.</u>                                 |       |             |
| (6) |   |       |             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

William Chastain  
don't any other names father

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Aunie Motes

18. Where were they born? I don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Pickens Dist S.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|                             |                           |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| (1) <u>James Chastain</u>   | <u>Sarah Chastain</u>     |
| (2) <u>Eliza Chastain</u>   | <u>Elizabeth Chastain</u> |
| (3) <u>William Chastain</u> | <u>Mary Chastain</u>      |
| (4) <u>Sam Chastain</u>     | <u>Margaret Chastain</u>  |
| (5) <u>John Chastain</u>    | <u>Jan Chastain</u>       |
| (6) <u>Thomas Chastain</u>  |                           |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Chaostain and Moter in

all I know about their names my Grandmother  
was said to be a half Cherokee Indian I have seen  
her and look like an Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Reference to Mark Chaostain application will likely  
state more fully about the Indian blood I have allways been  
told by my Grandmother other say that my great grandmother was  
was a full blood Cherokee Indian woman

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James Burrill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug 1907.

W. W. Holden

Notary Public. S e

My commission expires

at the pleasure of the Governor, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. A. Wood

and L. J. Jackson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with James Burrill

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Wood  
L. J. Jackson

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Affidavit  
 of  
 James Burrill  
 age 69 yrs.  
 In Claims of  
 Matilda Kildley,  
 James Burrill  
 Martha J. Knight  
 John W. Barnes.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
 EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD  
 Attorney at Law  
 519 F STREET N.W.  
 WASHINGTON, D.C.

David of Grant is ~~James~~ James Burrill  
 and that he is ~~widely~~ known  
 as a ~~confession~~ confession  
 no in fact  
 M. W. F. Schuckler  
 Notary Public  
 D.C.



State of S.C. County of Oconee  
In the matter of Matilda Ridly and  
others

on the 1st day of Aug 1908 Personally appeared  
before me a Notary Public in and for  
S.C. duly authorized to administer oaths  
James Burrell age 69. in Dec a resident of  
Oconee Co whose Po address is Tamassee S.C.  
Well known to be reputable and entitled to  
Credit and who being duly sworn says in  
relation to aforesaid case as follows. I  
knew Annie Chastain she was a Mother before  
she married I am a brother or half Brother to  
Matilda Ridly Annie Chastain was our  
Grand mother we staid with her a part of the  
time while Cutenmans work were going on  
Mace Ratliff an Indian man blind with  
Grand mother and worked at the mine  
He eat and sleep with us all just as the  
family. other Indian visited them very Grand  
Mother could <sup>talk</sup> Indian she would talk to the  
white people for other Indian and help them  
sell baskets at the mine

James Burrell

State of A.C. County of Oconee  
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by  
 the above named offiant and I certify that I  
 read said affidavit to said offiant and  
 acquainted him with its contents before he  
 executed the same I further certify that I  
 am not interested in said case and that  
 said offiant is personally known to me  
 and that he is creditable person

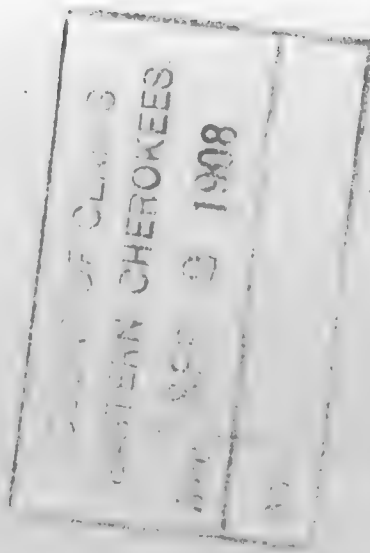
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Affidavit  
 of

James B. H. H.  
 age 69 yrs.  
 In claims of  
 Matilda Riddle,  
 James Burrell  
 Martha J. Knight  
 John W. Burrell.

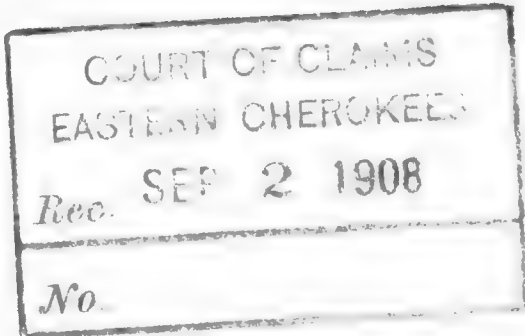


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words ~~and~~ intended and as presented herewith  
its contents before it presented the same I further  
this certify that I am in advise interested in  
said case and that said of find is personally  
known to me and that she is Credible ~~officer~~  
person

W. W. Holden, Esq.  
Notary Public

Affidavit of  
N. M. Knowlton  
Claims of  
Matilda Ridley,  
James Burrell  
Martha J. Knight  
John W. Barner.



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,  
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



State of S.C. County of Oconee  
In the matter of Claim of Charles M. Bidly  
Matilda and James Burr

On this 30 day of July 1908 Personally appeared  
before me a Notary Public in and for  
S.C. duly authorized to administer  
oaths N.M. Knot aged 72 years a resident  
of Cherokee in Oconee Co. S.C. whose Po.  
address is Tamassee S.C.

Well known to be reputable and entitled to  
Credit and who being duly sworn declares  
in relation to aforesaid Car as follows  
I know Annie Chastain about 60 years  
ago I have <sup>to</sup> her house and have heard her  
say that she was part Indian and it  
has always been said since then that her  
children & grand children had Indian  
blood in them I suppose that she  
was of the Cherokee Indians the full blood  
Indians lived about half a mile above  
her house and they were Cherokee Indians  
I have seen Indians at her house and I  
further declare that I have <sup>no</sup> <sup>interest</sup> in said Car and  
am not concerned in its promotion

M. Chastain  
W. W. Holman

M. M. Linn



State of S.C. County of Oconee  
 Sworn to and Subscribed before me this day by the  
 above named affiant and I Certify that I read  
 said affidavit to said affiant including the  
 words ~~and~~ interlined and acquainted her with  
 its contents before I executed the same I further  
 this Certify that I am in no wise interested in  
 said case and that said affiant is personally  
 known to me and that she is credible ~~affiant~~  
 person

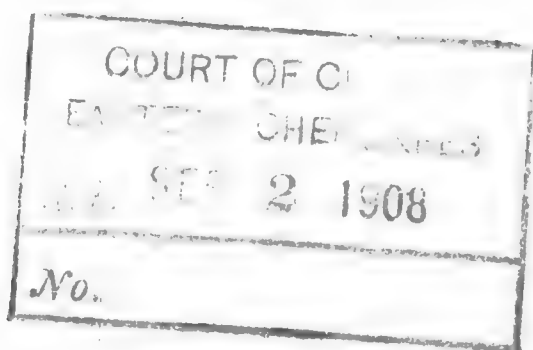
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*W. B. Holden, Jr.*  
*Notary Public*  
*James B. Smith*  
*Martha J. Knight*  
*John W. Bowers*

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD  
 Attorney and Solicitor,  
 619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
 WASHINGTON, D. C.

Affidavit of  
 A. M. Crane  
 age 74 yrs,  
 In Claims of  
 Matilda Ridley,  
 James Russell,  
 Martha J. Knight  
 John W. Barnes.



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD  
 Attorney and Solicitor,  
 619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
 WASHINGTON, D. C.

I have read with it contents before I signed  
 the same I further certify that there are no interest in  
 its prosecution and said official is personally known  
 to me and that she is credible person  
 Dr. W. H. H. H. H.  
 Notary Public for D.C.  
 This Certificate is  
 on file in Commissionary office

State of S.C. County of Oconee S.S.  
In the matter of claim of Matilda Riedly and  
James Burrie and others to share in the Grant  
of claim judgement for Eastern Cherokee  
on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Aug 1908 Personally appeared  
before me a Notary Public for S.C. duly authorized  
to Administer oath: A. M. Crane age 74 years  
a resident of Chocho Oconee Co. S.C. whose Po. Address  
Tamassee S.C.

Well known to be reputable and entitled to Credit  
and who being duly sworn declares in relation  
to aforesaid case as follows. I was born and  
raised here in Chocho and I knew Annie  
Chastain. they said her maiden name  
was <sup>her</sup> notes I knew all my life up to her  
death she died near the Cutman mine, they  
lived with among the Indians I have seen <sup>her</sup>  
many a time. and heard her and her  
husband say she was part Indian. The Indians  
made baskets and she would sell for them  
it always been said since her death that  
her children & grand children is part In-  
dian and further declare that I have no interest  
in said case and I am not concerned  
in its prosecution

A. M. Crane

State of D.C. County of Clonee  
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this day  
 by the above named affiant and I certify  
 that I read said affidavit to said affiant  
 and acquainted her with its contents before I executed  
 the same I further certify that I have no interest in  
 its prosecution and said affiant is personally known  
 to me and that she is credible person

W. V. Holden

Comm. Certificate is  
 on file in Commissioner's office

Nataly Public for D.C.

affidavit of

A. M. Lockwood  
 age 44 yrs.  
 In Clarinda of  
 Matilda Kidley,  
 James Burrell,  
 Martha J. Knight  
 John W. Barnes.

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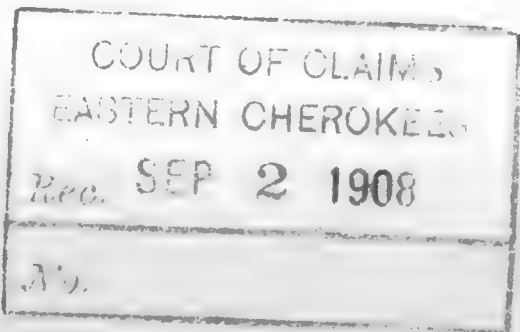
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 certify that said said offiant to said  
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 before he executed the same I further certify  
 that I am not interested in said case  
 and that said offiant is personally  
 known to me that he is credible person  
 W. H. Barnes

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Affidavit

Julia Bellhorn  
 In Claim of 82 yrs.  
 Martha Ridley.  
 Jas. Burrell.  
 Martha J. Knight  
 John W. Barnes



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
 Attorney and Solicitor,  
 619 F STREET, N. W.  
 WASHINGTON, D. C.

State of S.C. County of Oconee ss:  
In the matter of claim of S

Ridley and children to share in the  
Contt of claims claiming judgement for  
Eastern Cherokee

On this 30 day of July 1908 Personally appeared  
before me a Notary Public for S.C.

duly authorized to administer oaths

Silas, Calhoun age about 82 years old  
a resident of Cherokee Co., S.C. whose Po  
address is Thomas, S.C. Well known to be  
reputable and entitled to credit and being  
duly sworn declared in relation to afore  
said case as follows. I knew Annie Chastain  
her maiden name was Annie Motes she  
was part Indian. The Indians branded  
with Chastain because they were part Indian  
I have heard her talk in Indian with other  
Indians at her house Annie Chastain was  
Mittie Ridley's mother. So and mother

question what do you mean by wording  
the mining works averging on her there and  
some of the Indian words here then she  
w.c. come back here and made baskets and  
would stay with Chastain because she  
was part Indian one of the Chastain boys  
went off with the Indians

W.V. Holden  
Silas Calhoun  
The Calhoun  
name

State of D.C. County of D.C.  
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this  
 day by the above named offiant and I  
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*Wm. H. [unclear]*

*Notary Public*

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 3899  
*Sept 2*

*John W. Barnes*  
*for claim of [unclear]*  
*Martha Kelley*  
*Feb. 13 1908*  
*Martha J. Knight*

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**BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,**  
 Attorney and Solicitor,  
 819 F STREET N. N. W.  
 WASHINGTON, D. C.

No. 40895

Action: Reject

Name Mary E. Pines and 2 children. Residence: Central St.

Reasons: Rec'd. - #35647

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Field, Pielsons Co. S.C. ?

No. 40895.

Name Mary E. Revis

With No. 35647

Remarks:

Should be grouped  
with # 35647

Awaiting reply to letter.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

Mary Elizabeth Davis

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| EASTERN CHEROKEES |             |
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Barbara Elizabeth Reves*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office: *near bit chuck Locketal P. O. R. D. Route No 3*

3. County: *Pickens*

*Central R. D. # 3*

4. State: *SC*

5. How old are you? *23* Born *1884*

6. Where were you born? *In Oconee Co., S.C.*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *28 years*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.           | BORN.       |
|-----|-------------------------|----------------|-------------|
| (1) | <i>Laura Chandler</i>   | <i>4 years</i> | <i>1903</i> |
| (2) | <i>Wheeler Chandler</i> | <i>6</i>       | <i>1902</i> |
| (3) |                         |                |             |
| (4) |                         |                |             |
| (5) |                         |                |             |
| (6) |                         |                |             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Wheeler Brison Chandler*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

*Mary Malinda Redmond*

Maiden name:

*Mary Malinda Redmond*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*In Transylvania Co. NC*

Mother:

*In Pickens Dist SC*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Buck Chandler  
Barbary Butts Chandler

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Barbary Butts

18. Where were they born? nc

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? nc

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) John Chandler  
(2) James Chandler  
(3) Moses Chandler  
(4) Asa Chandler  
(5) Mary Chandler  
(6) Lillian Chandler



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Chandler & Butler on  
Father's side is a far back as I can go and Redmond and Rose  
on my mother's side and I suppose it is Indian name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

It has always been told to me by my mother  
and others that she was part Indian her father &  
mother was said to be both part Indian  
of the Cherokee tribe

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Barbery Elizabeth Revis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of aug 1907.

W. V. Holden

Notary Public. S. C.

My commission expires

at will of Governor, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

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that they are well acquainted with Barbery Elizabeth Revis  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John A. Turner

J. C. Revis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

at will of Governor, 190 .

W. V. Holden

Notary Public. S. C.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Appln. No. 40895.

June 2, 1906.

Mary E. Revis,

Near Six Church,

City of P. O., N. Y.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Eastern Cherokee land please state why you, your  
parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were  
any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6  
and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through  
whom you claim that your ancestor resided in 1835  
and 1846. Were any of your ancestors slaves? If so, were  
they or colored in the community in 1835 and 1846?  
If so, state the name of the ancestor through whom you  
claim that your ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846.  
If so, state the name of the ancestor through whom you  
claim that your ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. H. R.

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COUNT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

REC. JUN 4 1908

No. 40895.

1908

Mary E. Revis,

Near Six Church,

~~Cherokee~~ S. C.

Central

Mary E. Revis,  
Near Six Church,  
~~Central~~, S. C.

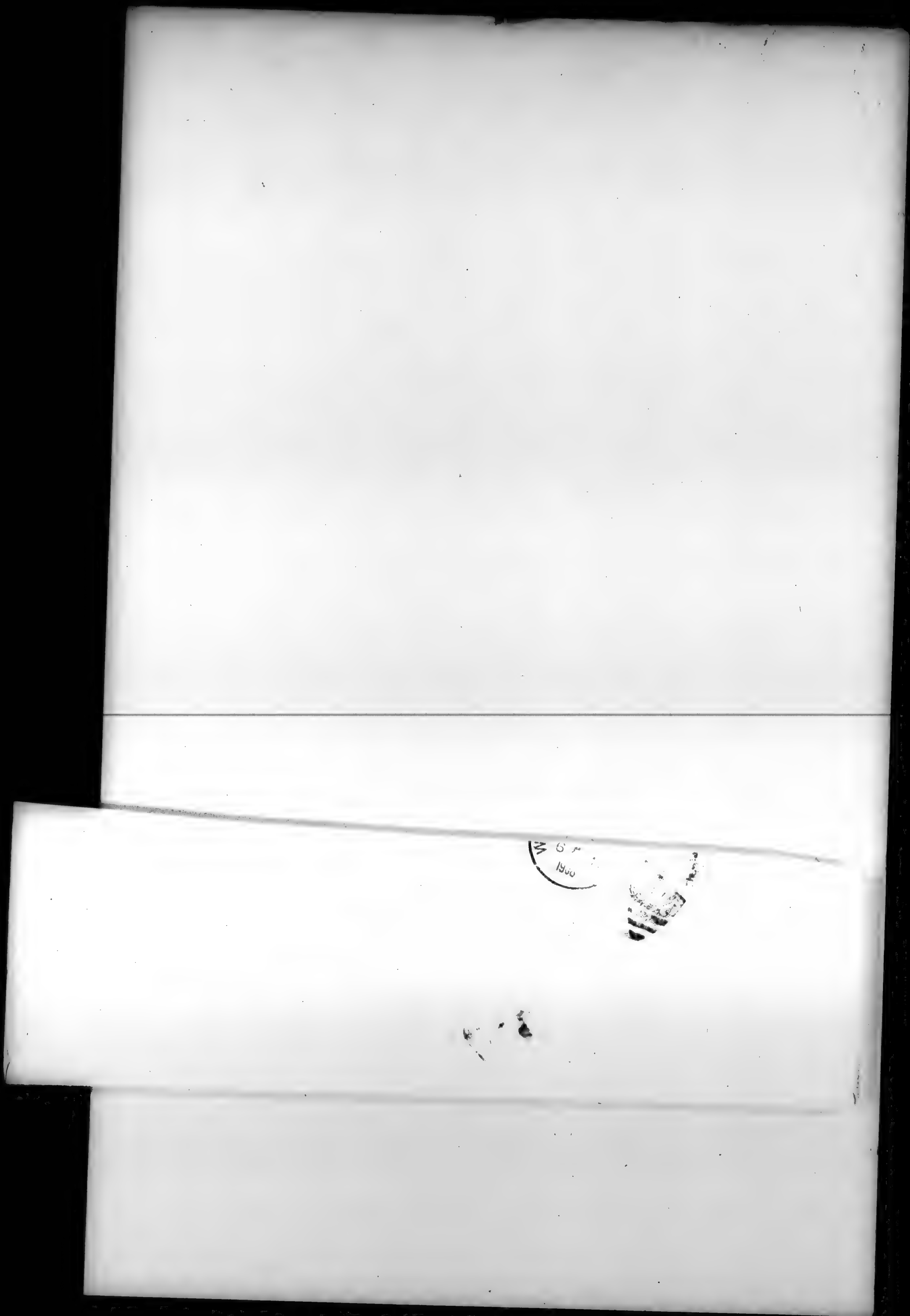
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RECEIVED  
LEGATION CHEKOKES  
JUN 4 1908  
No. 40213

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Witness in re Mary E. Reavis.

Appln. No. 40895.

Mary M. Chandler, ----- being duly sworn,  
deposes and says:

My name is Mary Chandler, bI am somewhere in the fities. I live in Pickens, S. C. I know Mary E. Reavis. She is about 28 years old. (My No. is 40219) Mary E. Reavis is my daughter. She claims through me, Mary M. Chandler. I claim through my father and think it was Cherokee blood. I have lived with the Indians until I was a big girl. I never got any money from the Government. I got my blood from my father Richard Redmond. He has been dead about 30 years. He was about 75 at the time of his death as near as I can tell. He never got any money from the Government. He never tried but they talked about it. He never knew about enrolling or thought about it. He was with the Indians when we were young. He was considered as having Indian blood in the community in which he lived. I never heard him mention the treaties. I cannot tell you where he lived in 1851. I was born in Tennessee. He probably lived in Tennessee. I have heard my father and mother say that his father was an Indian. His name was Samuel Harris Redmond. I never heard him talk about him. I do not know whether he was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 or 1846. I don't know any good reason for his not being enrolled.

Mary M. Chandler  
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 14th  
day of July, 1908, at Walhalla, S. C.

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COUNTY OF  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
AUG 10 1908  
40888

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to 1055

Seneca 3.6

Aug 7<sup>th</sup> 1898

Mr. A. Miller

Dear Sir

Enclosed find the bill for the

bill for the bill for the

bill for the bill for the

bill for the bill for the

bill for the bill for the

bill for the bill for the

bill for the bill for the

bill for the bill for the



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Did you get it? I mailed it on  
the 31 of last month

most likely

was in it Percival

No. 2050-

Action: Rejected-

Name: James M. Hume and 2 children. Residence: Columbia D.C.

Reasons:

James M. Hume, the father of the children named above.

No. 40896

Name. Carrie Brown

With No. 40891

Remarks:



No. 10896

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

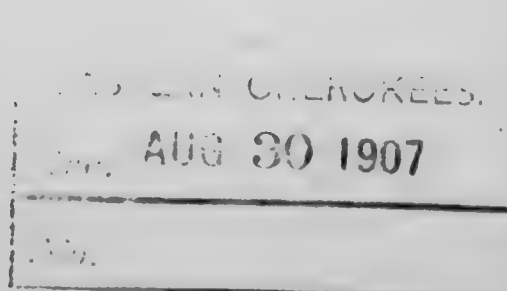
APPLICATION

OF

Barrie Brown

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Garrie Brown

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Seneca

3. County: Osceola

4. State: S.C.

5. How old are you? 36 Born 1871

6. Where were you born? Pickens Co S.C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 50 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? He dont belong to any

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.               | AGE.      | BORN.              |
|-----|---------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Pearl Brown</u>  | <u>11</u> | <u>11 Nov 1894</u> |
| (2) | <u>Solo Brown</u>   | <u>4</u>  | <u>25 Dec 1903</u> |
| (3) | <u>Hattie Brown</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>23 Apr 1906</u> |
| (4) | _____               | _____     | _____              |
| (5) | _____               | _____     | _____              |
| (6) | _____               | _____     | _____              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: James Fields

Jane Arthur

Father—English name: James Fields

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Jane Arthur

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Columbia S.C.

Mother: Greenville S.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Columbia S C

Mother: Greenville S C

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dont remember date

Mother: Died 1872

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                         | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Florence Arthur Samson</u> |       |       |
|     | <u>Carrie Williams Dyer</u>   |       |       |
| (2) | <u>Marion Beloford Colman</u> |       |       |
| (3) |                               |       |       |
| (4) |                               |       |       |
| (5) |                               |       |       |
| (6) |                               |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.   | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|------------------|----------------------|
| <u>Dont know</u> | <u>Rachel Arthur</u> |
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18. Where were they born? Greenville S C

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Greenville S C

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|                            |                             |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) <u>Fannie Arthur</u>   | <u>Peters S C</u>           |
| (2) <u>Julian Arthur</u>   | <u>Goffman S C</u>          |
| (3) <u>John Arthur</u>     | <u>Atlanta Ga</u>           |
| (4) <u>Anderson Arthur</u> | <u>Brooklyn N Y</u>         |
| (5) <u>Lincoln Arthur</u>  | <u>Greenville S C</u>       |
| (6) <u>Melvin Arthur</u>   | <u>Greenville S C</u>       |
| <u>Rose Lee Arthur</u>     | <u>Greenville S C</u>       |
| <u>Jessy Arthur</u>        | <u>Jessy Greenville S C</u> |
| <u>William Arthur</u>      | <u>Greenville S C</u>       |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my mother mother was  
a full blood Cherokee Indian so I  
have always been informed by my people

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Carrie Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug 1907.

W. V. Holden  
Notary Public. SC

My commission expires

at Will of Governor, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me R. H. Holt

and Julia Leray, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Carrie Brown

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Leaker Watson

Will Keaton

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. H. Holt

Julia Leray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

at Will of Governor, 190 .

W. V. Holden  
Notary Public. SC

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JUN 22 1908  
*No.* 70896

40896

Carroll Inn

June 17 1900

In reply to your letter of June 14

You wanted to know

if parents or grand parents

are named in the Gen

eral Register of the State of

Massachusetts

Yes

as

it

is

Carville June  
June 15 1905

I have known you and  
mother of Carter House.

Ever since my first wife  
died and you were in the  
house.

While you were in the

house in the house for a long

time with the children.

With the children and the

Grandmother

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 22 1908  
No. 70896



Carville June  
June 18 1902

I have known [unclear] and  
mother of Carter [unclear]  
Ever since they were [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

white [unclear]

[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

Q. J. [unclear]

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JUN 22 1908  
*No.*

40896

Carson, Lisa

June 19

In Liebe 'Guten Morgen'.

Yours devotedly, J. D. Brown

Parents or Grand Parents

1871





COUNTY OF CLAY  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
OCT 13 1908  
No. 40896

7-20-11

Seneca, N.Y. Oct. 12, 1908.

Quinn Miller

Washington, D.C.

Claim # 40896

Dear Sir,

Ms Corrie Brown

has died since her application to  
share in the fund appropriated for  
the Cherokee Indian Pless.

Please inform me how I will  
have to proceed to act as her  
Childrens Agt. I have them in  
my care and custody.

Yours Respect,  
R. H. Hicks.



No. 40896

Oct. 13th, 1908.

R. H. Hicks,

Seneca, S. C.

Sir:

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Replying to your letter of Oct. 12th, 1908, in which you state that Mrs. Carrie Brown, who filed application No. 40896 is dead, and that you have the care and custody of her children, you are advised that this letter will be placed on file with her application and if it should be found that she is entitled to participate in the fund, you will be notified.

Very respectfully,

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Special Commissioner.

GH/MSM

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No. 40897

Action: Reject

Name: Caroline M. Giles and 1 children. Residence: Longacre, D. C.

Reasons: Claims thru same source as #31811, rejected for same reasons.

No. 48897

Name Caroline M. Giles

With No. 31011

Remarks:

No. 10897

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Caroline W. Giles*  
*Longacre*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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U. S.  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
AUG 20 1907

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Caroline M. Giles

Indian name: Claim to be Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Kempers, Montgomery

3. County: Hayett Co

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 42 Born March 17, 1858

6. Where were you born? Kanawha Co near Cannilton

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Giles, 48 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME                             | AGE             | BORN        |
|-----|----------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Irma Giles Thomas, Oct 25</u> |                 | <u>1881</u> |
| (2) | <u>Chris Giles</u>               | <u>March 20</u> | <u>1883</u> |
| (3) | <u>Elova Giles Foster</u>        | <u>Nov. 11</u>  | <u>1886</u> |
| (4) | <u></u>                          | <u></u>         | <u></u>     |
| (5) | <u></u>                          | <u></u>         | <u></u>     |
| (6) | <u></u>                          | <u></u>         | <u></u>     |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jacob Tucker

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Leelia Brankham Tucker

Indian name: Claim to be Cherokee

Maiden name: Leelia Brankham

12. Where were they born?

Father: Kanawha Co

Mother: Kanawha Co



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Kanawha co near Cannellton

Mother: Kanawha co 11 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.   | BORN.               | DIED.         |
|-----|---|---------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Jacob Tucker</u><br><u>West Charleston</u> | <u>45 years old</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| (2) | <u>Will Tucker</u><br><u>Bill Tennon Pa</u>   | <u>Feb 20. 1871</u> | <u>11</u>     |
| (3) |   |                     |               |
| (4) |   |                     |               |
| (5) |   |                     |               |
| (6) |   |                     |               |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.        | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|-----------------------|----------------------|
| <u>Lewis Tucker</u>   | <u>India Branham</u> |
| <u>Rebecca Tucker</u> | <u>Sarah Branham</u> |
|                       |                      |
|                       |                      |

18. Where were they born? Both Born in Pike Co. Ky

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Kanawha then

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                                 |                              |
|-----|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>L. A. Branham</u>            | <u>Cond Vape W. Va</u>       |
| (2) | <u>Lucinda Branham White</u>    | <u>W. Va</u>                 |
| (3) | <u>John Branham</u>             | <u>West Charleston W. Va</u> |
| (4) | <u>Harriet Branham Tucker</u>   | <u>W. Va. W. Va</u>          |
| (5) | <u>Emily Hill</u>               |                              |
| (6) | <u>Rebecca Taylor</u>           | <u>W. Va</u>                 |
|     | <u>Theresa Branham Reynolds</u> | <u>11</u>                    |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my great grand mother on mother side was a daughter of J. J. Perry who is claimed was of Cherokee blood and my grand mother on mother side said the Indians used to make their hair grow hood in like early their stepping place while passing through

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Caroline M. Giles

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of Aug, 1907.

Vernon C. Chamberlain  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

MY COMMISSION IS FOR LIFE

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. M. Huddleston

and O. P. Custer, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Caroline M. Giles

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. M. Huddleston  
O. P. Custer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

MY COMMISSION IS FOR LIFE

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* APR 15 1909  
*No. 40897*

✓  
Montgomery West Va.  
April 14 1907

Rev Union Miller Spc Com  
sir I have changed  
my Post Office have  
moved back to Montgomery  
so if there is any thing  
important - you will notify  
me at  
Montgomery Fayette Co  
W. Va.  
I would like to know something



No. 40898

Action:

Rejected

Name

Lure McLehe

and

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children.

Residence:

Metan, Fla.

Reasons:

Brother of 40503 - Claims the same source

40898

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No. 40808

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Louis McBeck*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

*J. H. Vaughn*  
*Atty*  
*Stinson*  
*Ch*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

AUG 30 1907

No.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

*6 Children*

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: *Levi Mc Gee*  
Indian name: *Mc Gee*
2. Residence and post office: *Milam*
3. County: *Jackson*
4. State: *Ark*
5. How old are you? *47 1/2* Born *Sept-22<sup>nd</sup> 1860*
6. Where were you born? *Jackson County Ark*
7. Are you married? *yes*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Sarah F. Mc Gee 48 years*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *None*
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.      | BORN.               |
|-----|----------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <i>Temple Mc Gee</i> | <i>22</i> | <i>Feb 20 1884</i>  |
| (2) | <i>Jackie Mc Gee</i> | <i>18</i> | <i>April 9 1888</i> |
| (3) | <i>Nancy Mc Gee</i>  | <i>14</i> | <i>Oct 10 1891</i>  |
| (4) | <i>Bessie Mc Gee</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>Oct 18 1894</i>  |
| (5) | <i>James Mc Gee</i>  | <i>7</i>  | <i>Oct 24 1900</i>  |
| (6) | <i>Hannah Mc Gee</i> | <i>4</i>  | <i>Dec 21 1902</i>  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *William Mc Gee*  
Indian name: *Mc Gee*  
Mother—English name: *Ann Mc Gee*  
Indian name: *Mc Gee*  
Maiden name: *Roxwell*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Jackson Co*  
Mother: *Jackson Co Ark*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Jackson Co Ark

Mother: Jackson Co Ark

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Sept 25 - 1896

Mother: Jan 12 - 1896

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                               | BORN.         | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | W M M - ll<br>God send son         | April 27 1854 |       |
| (2) | Samuel Mc Gehee<br>Stigley G.      | Feb 12 1854   |       |
| (3) | M J Langman<br>Alfred Ark          | Dec 22 1859   |       |
| (4) | Jesse Mc Gehee<br>Alfred - Ark     | March 4 1865  |       |
| (5) | Jennie L. L. L. L.<br>Dennis Ark   | April 8, 1867 |       |
| (6) | Calome Mc Gehee<br>Gray Chapel Ark | Nov 30 1869   |       |
|     | Elisabeth Cooper Ark               | Aug 20 1856   |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Samuel Gehee  
William Maxwell

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Elisabeth Mc Gehee  
air Maxwell

18. Where were they born? do not

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandfather's Deed  
A mother's living in Jacks Co

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                  |                |
|-----|------------------|----------------|
| (1) | Mc Gehee         | Ward in Ark    |
| (2) | Jessie Mc Gehee  | Nancy Mc Gehee |
| (3) | Palmer Mc Gehee  | Stens Maxwell  |
| (4) | Jesse Mc Gehee   | Rufus Maxwell  |
| (5) | William Mc Gehee | as well        |
| (6) | Samuel Mc Gehee  | Hugh Maxwell   |
|     | John Mc Gehee    | Mary Ann       |
|     | Micco Mc Gehee   | Jane Goff      |
|     | Jane Mc Gehee    | Margaret - G.  |
|     | Maudie Mc Gehee  | Elisabeth - G. |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: W. C. Gehee Maxwell & Riddles

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The Indian Blood came to me through my father William McGehee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Gehee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of Aug, 1907.

A. B. Collins  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 6th, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. Carter

and J. R. Tankersley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with McGehee

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Carter  
J. R. Tankersley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

May 6th, 1908. A. B. Collins  
Notary Public.

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No. 40898

Action: *Reject*

Name *John Braton*, and *X* children.

Residence: *St. Louis, Mo.*

Reasons: *no connection with Cherokee tribe; Applicant failed to appear to testify, also failed to answer letter of inquiry in regard to family relations.*

40898

Field, Tenn?

No. 40899. Dickson

Name Baton Braton Co.

With No. 100 100

Remarks:

Traced to ship in 1862  
from Tenn. June 20

Awaiting reply to letter.



No. 40899

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Paton Braton

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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H. C. Richardson  
att'y

Dickson  
Turn.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 30 1907

No.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Paton Braton  
English name: ' ' ' '  
Indian name: ' ' ' '
2. Residence and post office: Dickson  
3. County: Dickson  
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 65 Born 1842  
6. Where were you born? Hickman Co Tenn.  
7. Are you married? Yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sattie Bratt Braton  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>George Braton</u> | <u>31</u> | <u>1876</u> |
| (2) |                      |           |             |
| (3) |                      |           |             |
| (4) |                      |           |             |
| (5) |                      |           |             |
| (6) |                      |           |             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Paton Braton  
Indian name: ' ' ' '  
Mother—English name: Dilsey Braton  
Indian name: ' ' ' '  
Maiden name: Dilsey Griffen

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.  
Mother: Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Sept. 1863

Mother: 1852

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                               | BORN.       | DIED.       |
|-----|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Horris Braton</u><br><u>dead</u> | <u>1844</u> | <u>1865</u> |
| (2) | <u>Sauria Braton</u><br><u>dead</u> | <u>1846</u> | <u>1847</u> |
| (3) | <u>Patan Braton</u><br><u>dead</u>  | <u>1848</u> | <u>1849</u> |
| (4) |                                     |             |             |
| (5) |                                     |             |             |
| (6) |                                     |             |             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.         | MOTHER'S SIDE.           |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| <u>John Burchard</u>   | <u>Unknown</u>           |
| <u>Critic Burchard</u> | <u>Charlotte Griffin</u> |
| <u>"</u>               | <u>"</u>                 |
| <u>"</u>               | <u>"</u>                 |

18. Where were they born? Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                       |             |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Patan Braton</u>   | <u>dead</u> |
| (2) | <u>Dilsey Braton</u>  | <u>"</u>    |
| (3) | <u>Sam Braton</u>     | <u>"</u>    |
| (4) | <u>Ephraim Braton</u> | <u>"</u>    |
| (5) | <u>Henry Bell</u>     | <u>"</u>    |
| (6) | <u>Harritt Bell</u>   | <u>"</u>    |
|     | <u>Mariah Bell</u>    | <u>"</u>    |
|     | <u>Jackman Braton</u> | <u>"</u>    |
|     | <u>Horris Braton</u>  | <u>"</u>    |
|     | <u>Remains Braton</u> | <u>"</u>    |

Remains Braton  
Angeline Bell  
dead

Ramus Boston dead  
Angeline Weiss



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grandfather Mother  
Critic Burchard was an Eastern  
Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Paton Braton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of August, 1907.

W. B. Brate  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

10, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Julia Ann Deane  
and Susan Newson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Paton Braton  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 64 years and  
50 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. D. Miller

Julia Ann Deane

J. D. Miller

Susan Newson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

10, 1907 W. B. Brate

Notary Public.

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959.

Appln. No. 40899.

June 2, 1908.

Paton Braton,

Dickson, Tennessee.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1828 and 1851.

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

Your early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WCB/MS.

No. 40900.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Alta L. Johnson ... and X children. Residence: Tahlequah, Okla.

Reasons:

Niece of # 5793; claims through same source.

#40900

Alta L. Johnson

5793



*Handwritten signature and scribbles*

No. 10000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Alta L. Johnson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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RECEIVED  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. AUG 30 1907  
No.

*Handwritten number 00007*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Alta L. Johnson,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Tablequah,

3. County: Cherokee Nation,

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? 22 years old, Born February 23rd, 1885.

6. Where were you born? Flint District, Cherokee Nation, Ind.Terr.

7. Are you married? No.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: George W. Johnson,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Annie Johnson,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Annie Ward.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

Mother: Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not Born.

Mother: Not born.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living, P.O. Tahlequah, Indian Territory.

Mother: Died May 12th. 1885.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes, both were on all Cherokee rolls,

in Cherokee Nation, with Cherokee tribe, Father on Daws Com. rolls.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| NAME                          | BORN.                    | DIED.          |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| (1) <u>Beulah M. Johnson,</u> | <u>Feb. 7th. 1892.</u>   | <u>Living.</u> |
| (2) <u>Bessie Johnson,</u>    | <u>Sept. 30th. 1893.</u> | <u>"</u>       |
| (3) <u>Samuel M. Johnson,</u> | <u>April 21st. 1895.</u> | <u>"</u>       |
| (4) <u>Robert E. Johnson,</u> | <u>Jan. 17th. 1897.</u>  | <u>"</u>       |
| (5) <u>Cherie E. Johnson,</u> | <u>Nov. 23rd. 1899.</u>  | <u>"</u>       |
| (6) <u>Louis C. Johnson,</u>  | <u>Sept. 17th. 1903.</u> | <u>"</u>       |
| (7) <u>Percy L. Johnson,</u>  | <u>Sept. 25th. 1905.</u> | <u>"</u>       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Anderson Johnson,

Samuel Ward

Lucy Johnson, nee Dameron,

Sina Ward.

18. Where were they born? John Anderson Johnson born in old Cherokee Nation,  
(east) the rest born in Cherokee Nation, I.T.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Flint Disbrict, Cherokee  
Nation, Indian Territory.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|  |                        |
|--|------------------------|
| (1) <u>William E. Johnson,</u>         | <u>Rose, I.T.</u>      |
| (2) <u>Mary D. Balentine,</u>          | <u>Tahlequah, I.T.</u> |
| (3) <u>Martha L. Howard, (dead)</u>    |                        |
| (4) <u>George W. Johnson, (father)</u> | <u>Tahlequah, I.T.</u> |
| (5) <u>Lucy J. Walker, (dead)</u>      |                        |
| (6) _____                              |                        |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Alta L. Johnson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of August, 1907.

*W. H. Balentine Sr.*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept. 1st, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mary D. Balentine,  
and George W. Johnson,, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Alta L. Johnson,  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Mary D. Balentine*  
*George W. Johnson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept.

, 1908.

*W. H. Balentine Sr.*  
Notary Public.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*Alta L. Johnson,  
Tahlequah, Okla.*

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

You are hereby notified that in my report to the Court of Claims of May 28, 1909, I have enrolled you ~~and your~~ ~~minor children~~ as entitled to participate in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906.

Your number on this roll is *15353*

A copy of all the names enrolled by me as entitled to participate in said fund has been forwarded to the following places, where said roll may be examined: Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla.

Dana H. Kelsey, U. S. Indian Agent, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Secretary of Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma.

U. S. District Indian Agents at:--Vinita, Nowata, Sapulpa, Okmulgee, Checotah and Westville, Okla.

The Clerk of District Courts at:--Bartlesville, Miami, Claremore, Pryor Creek, Tulsa, Wagoner, Tahlequah, Sallisaw, Stigler and Grove, Oklahoma.

The City Clerks at:--Coffeyville and Chetopa, Kansas, and Porum, Oklahoma.

The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina.

The Clerk of U. S. District Courts at:--Rome, Savannah and Atlanta, Georgia; Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Alabama.

The Clerk of Courts at:--

North Carolina:--Murphy, Robbinsville, Franklin and Bryson City.

Tennessee:--Maryville, Cleveland, Ooltewah, Jasper, Decatur, Madisonville and Benton.

Alabama:--Center, Fort Payne, Gadsden and Guntersville.

Georgia:--Cartersville, Canton, Marietta, Dawsonville, Blue Ridge, Rome, Cumming, Ellijay, Calhoun, Dahlonega,

Alpharetta, Spring Place, Jasper, Hiawassee, Blairsville, Lafayette, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville.

A limited number of copies of this roll, with the order of the Court, have been printed and will be sold at \$2.50 each, and the proceeds applied to the cost of printing.

A total of 45,857 applications, including about 90,000 individual claimants, have been considered and of these a total of 30,254 individuals have been enrolled; 3,203 of which were Eastern Cherokees residing east of the Mississippi, and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi.

The Court of Claims in its order of June 10, 1909, has directed that all exceptions to my report shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., to be filed in the Court on or before the 30th day of August, 1909.

The Court has further ordered that all exceptions to my report shall be set down for hearing before the Court on the third Monday of October, 1909. Until these exceptions have been acted upon by the Court no money will be distributed.

Please retain this circular and present it at the time of payment.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

If not called for in 15 days, return to  
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

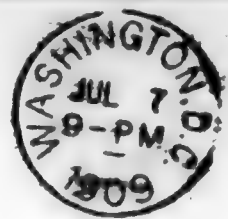
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~~Alta L. Johnson,~~  
~~Tahlequah,~~  
~~Oklahoma.~~



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Any person using this envelope to avoid the  
payment of postage or postage meter or  
any kind of postage is liable to a fine of  
\$100.00  
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If not called for in 15 days, return to  
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



OFFICIAL ENVELOPE  
Any person using this envelope to avoid the  
payment of postage on private matter of  
any kind, will be subject to a fine of  
Three Hundred Dollars  
STATION 6

Alta M. Johnson,  
Tahlequah,  
Oklahoma.

40900

No. 4901

Action: Reject

Name: Thos. L. Houghton and

children.

Residence: Missouri

Reasons:

Don't pay

Wm. J. and wife,  
1216 Box 20 Texas



No. 40901-2

Name .....

With No. 40434

Remarks:

Thos. L. Howarth

W. H. A.

No.

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

## APPLICATION

OF

Y<sup>rs</sup>. Lemuel Horvath

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Aug. 31

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents

\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

A. H. Hancock & Co. is Notary  
Public in and for Parker County Texas

My Commission  
expires Nov-1908

Eastern Cherokee  
application

Filed by  
J. L. Harwith  
applicant.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* AUG 30 1907  
*No.*





Special Commissioners of the Court of Claims  
601 Murray Building Washington D.C.

Sir

I hereby make application for such share  
as may be due me of the fund appropriated  
by the act of Congress approved June 30, 1906  
in accordance with the Decree of Court of  
Claims of May 18, 1905 and May 28, 1906  
in favor of the Eastern Cherokee the Evidence  
of Identity is herewith Subjoined

note answers to all questions should start  
English name Thomas Lemuel Howeth  
Indian name

Residence and office Millsap.

County Parker

State Texas

How old are you now 42 1876  
where were you born Texas

are you married yes

name and age of wife Melvina Howeth age 33

to what tribe Indians he belongs Cherokee

name of all your children who were living  
on the 28<sup>th</sup> May 1906 giving their names

Bessie May Howeth born May 23, 1898

King Child Howeth .. April 11, 1901

Clara Newton Howeth April 20 1903

Lemuel Gay Howeth July 22 1906

Give names of your father and mother and  
your mother's name before marriage

Father English name Frank Horwath  
Indian name

Mother English name Martha Ann Horwath  
Indian name

Maiden name Martha Ann Van Housen  
where were they born

Father Texas

Mother Missouri

where did they reside in 1867 if living

Father Texas

Mother State of Texas

Father Dead

Mother

Living

name all your Brothers & Sisters giving ages  
and Residence

Benjamin Gunsalus June 19 - 1862 Brewster  
Calaway Johnston Nov 15 - 1865 Galv Texas  
Kern Horwath Jan 17 - 1869 Sgar Texas  
Allen Horwath June 25 - 1872

\* Leanne Horwath Feb 9 1879 Colk Meridian  
Robert Andrew Oct 16 - 1881 Mill Saff  
Texas

State English & Indian name of your Grand  
Parents on Father & Mother  
father Isaac Vanhousen mother Sarah Vanhousen







Person He represents himself to be  
and that the statements made by him  
are true to the best of their knowledge  
and belief and they have no interest  
whatever in said claim

Signature of Witnesses  
J. T. Hankins  
A. W. Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me.  
this 27 Day of Aug 1907

A. N. Canafat J. R. + Ex officio Notary  
Public in and for Parker County Texas

My Commission  
expires Nov-1908

Eastern Cherokee

application

filed by  
J. L. Hammett

applicant

|                                       |             |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |             |
| Rec.                                  | AUG 30 1907 |
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 22 1907  
No. 40901

Repts For'd  
10/22/07.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. FEB 13 1909  
No. 40901

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FEB 13 1909

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Genian Miller.

- Special Commissioner of the  
Court of Claims

601 Conway Building

Washington, D. C.

App. P. 10000 No. 10901

Morgan Mill Co.

Feb 6<sup>th</sup> 1909 ~~Feb 6<sup>th</sup> 1909~~

Write a few lines in regard  
to let your name have  
Moved to Morgan Mill if my  
part office and in that I would  
notify you if had more  
from Mill - Say so if you

rate me my mare at Saint  
my claim please find the  
letter to Morgan Mill exp  
Rd no 1 Box 20

Very respectfully

Thomas L. Hameth

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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No. 40901

enc. let.

CHANDLER & PANNILL,  
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,  
ROOMS 1 AND 2  
MALONEY B'LDG.  
STEPHENVILLE, TEXAS.

F. H. CHANDLER  
WM. PANNILL

July 1, 1909.

Hon. Guion Miller,

Special Commissioner U. S. Court of Claims,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear sir;- Mr. Thomas L. Howeth of this County, has sought our advice about his application to be placed on the roll of descendants of the Eastern Cherokees, and we note that you have recommended the rejection of his application and that the Court of Claims has given him until Aug. 30, 1909, to file his exceptions. It has occurred to us from reading the notice sent him that his claim is ~~hopeless~~ one and we do not want him to waste his money pursuing a will o' the wisp, so we take the liberty of writing you this letter, and requesting you, ~~to~~ <sup>to write us</sup> if it is proper for you to give us the information, as to the reasons his claim was rejected. If it is improper for you to give this information please consider this letter as not having been written. We would also like to know if it was a defect of proof as to his having descended from an Eastern Cherokee, that caused the rejection of his claim.

Any information that you can give us in regard to this matter, will be appreciated, as we want to properly advise him, and if there is little or no hope for him in this matter, we will advise him to drop it.,

Thanking you in advance,

Respectfully

*Chandler & Pannill*



COURT OF CLAIMS  
CHEROKEE  
JULY 27 1883  
40901

Chas. C. Cadd

Bluff Dale Grath Co Tex

March 22 1909

My dear Mr. [unclear]  
I am in receipt of the  
letter of the 17th inst.  
and am glad to hear  
of your interest in the  
[unclear]

Bluff Dale Grath Co Tex

Box 54

Very respectfully

[unclear]

COUNTY OF ...  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
Nov. DEC 20 1909  
No. 40901

40434

Camarache &  
Harris Tex  
December 17<sup>th</sup>

To the Special Commissioners  
of the Court of Claims  
as I have moved and  
have change my post office  
and I thought I would  
rite again as I haven't heard  
from them in a long time  
and I want to know if there  
is any chance for me to  
get my claim

Yours Truly

James G. Howitt



No. 109021

Action: *Reject*

Name *Robt. A. Howell* and *X* children. Residence: *Willsap, Tex.*

Reasons:

*See page 42*

*Son of 20-30*  
No. 10002

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

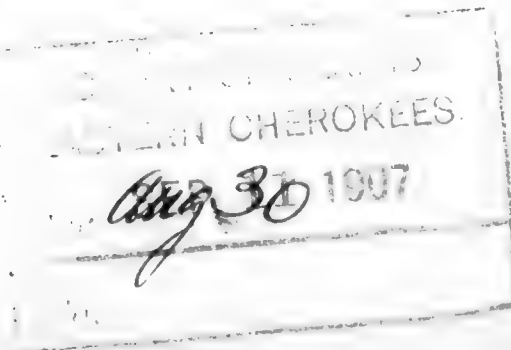
APPLICATION

OF

*Robt. A. Harveth*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Signature of Witnesses

J. St. Anthony  
J. W. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
The 27 day of August 1907

(My Commission  
expires Nov. 1908)

W. H. Bennett, J. D. and E. H. Davis, Notary  
Public in and for Washoe County, Texas

Eastern Cherokee  
application

filed by  
R. A. Harvath  
Mills Texas  
applicant



give name of all their children and  
residence

do

have you ever been engaged for money  
amounts of Land or other benefits of La  
State with what tribe of Indian

to assist in identification claimant - <sup>going</sup> should  
the English and Indian of Parents & Grand  
Parents back to 1835 -

My Mother Martha Ann Haweth was the  
Daughter of Sarah Panhasser maiden  
name Ellen half Breed Cherokee Indian  
Left with name of said claimant

I solemnly swear that the foregoing  
Statement made by me as true to the  
of my knowledge and belief

<sup>signature</sup> <sup>Hometh</sup> { <sup>Aug 27-1907</sup> <sup>Attest + J.P. + C. + office's</sup>  
<sup>Robert Andrew</sup> { <sup>Signature of</sup> <sup>before me</sup> <sup>Notary Public in and for</sup>  
<sup>the following</sup> <sup>affidavit</sup> <sup>Must be sworn to by</sup> <sup>Parker County Texas</sup>

two or more witnesses who are well acquainted  
with the applicant <sup>Robert Andrew</sup> Hometh personally appeared

Before me J.F. Hankins and A.W. Lewis

and <sup>who being</sup> <sup>only sworn on</sup>  
both Oath and say that they are well acquainted  
with Robert Andrew Hometh, and have  
known for 11 years and 11 years Respectfully  
and know him to be the Person he represents  
himself to be and the statements made by him are  
true to the best of their knowledge and they have  
no interest whatever in said claim.

Special Commissioners of the Court of  
Claims 601 Murray Building Washington  
to hereby make application for J.C.

Such Share as may be due me of the fund  
appropriated by the Act of Congress approved  
June 30 - 1906 in accordance with the  
Orders of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1906 and May 28, 1906 in favor of  
the Eastern Cherokee the Evidence of  
Identity is herewith Subjoined

note all questions should show  
English name Robert Andrew Howarth  
Indian

Residence and Post office Millers  
County Parker  
State Texas

show where you born Oct 16 - 1851

where where you born Texas

are you married no

name and age of wife

names of all your children who  
living on May 26, 1906 giving ages

give name of your father and mother  
and your mother's <sup>name</sup> before marriage  
father English name Frank Howarth  
Indian name  
mother English name Markham Howarth  
Indian name



maiden name Mattha Ann Parham  
where were they born

Father

Letts

Mother

where did they reside in 1857 if living

Father

Letts

Mother

Missouri

name of all your Brothers & Sisters  
giving ages and residence

Burgessman Grimes June 19 - 1862

Colarway John Jan 15 - 1865

Reverend Horwath Jan 17 1869

Ellen Horwath June 25 - 1872

Reverend Horwath Feb 9 1874

Thomas General Horwath Mar 12 1876

State the English and Indian name of your  
Grand Parents on both Father & Mother  
Side Father Mother

John Parham

John Parham

where they were born maiden name Ellen  
where did they reside in 1857 if living

give name of all their children and residence

do

have you ever been engaged for money amounts of Land or other benefits of the State with what Tribe of Indian

in assist in identification claimant should the English and Indian of Parents & Grand Parents back to 1836 -

Mr. Mother Martha Ann Harveth was the Daughter of Sarah Panhasser maiden name Callin half Breed Cherokee Indian left with names of said Commo

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statement made by me is true to the best of my knowledge and belief

Signature of Martha Ann Harveth } Aug 27-1907  
Before me } Notary Public in and for Parker County Texas

the following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant <sup>Robert Andrew Harveth</sup> personally appeared before me J. F. Hankins and A. W. Lewis

and who being duly sworn on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Robert Andrew Harveth, and have known for 11 years and 11 years respectively and know him to be the person he represents himself to be and the statements made by him are true to the best of their knowledge and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Signature of witnesses

J. F. Hankins

A. W. Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 27 day of August 1907

J. K. Canaday J. P. and Ex-officio Notary Public in and for Parker County Texas

My commission expires Nov. 1908



SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*Robert A. Howeth,*  
*Millsap,*  
*Tex.*

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 40902, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

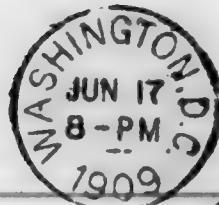
No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

If not called for in 15 days, return to  
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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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Robert A. Howeth,

~~Millsap,~~

Tex.

#40902

No. 40903

Action: *Repeled*

Name *Offie L. Albertson* and *1* children. Residence: *Shipley, Ky.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #21063 and claim. This same name.*

40903

No.

409034-5-6-7

Name

Ellie L. Alpertson

With

No.

40144

Remarks:



No. 40903

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Effie L. Albertson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES  
SEP 28 1907

*Francis B. Taber*  
*Albany*

*Ky*

*P.O. B 57*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Piper L. Allerton

Indian name: Uobb

2. Residence and post office: Shilley

3. County: Winston

4. State: Kentucky

5. How old are you? 19

Born

Nov 4 1887

6. Where were you born? Winston County Ky

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mrs. L. Allerton 29 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.             | AGE.           | BORN.             |
|-----|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>William H.</u> | <u>2 years</u> | <u>May 8 1904</u> |
| (2) |                   |                |                   |
| (3) |                   |                |                   |
| (4) |                   |                |                   |
| (5) |                   |                |                   |
| (6) |                   |                |                   |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John L. Jarvis

Indian name: Uobb

Mother—English name: Ann L. Jarvis

Indian name: Uobb

Maiden name: Russell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cumberland County Ky

Mother: Russell County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Clinton County Ky

Mother: Not known

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.        | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Luther       |       |       |
| (2) | Edgar        |       |       |
| (3) | Shirley Wort |       |       |
| (4) | Victory      |       |       |
| (5) | Robert       |       |       |
| (6) | Lorraine     |       |       |
| (7) | Sigie        |       |       |
| (8) | Whisper      |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Nathan  
Nancy " Cole

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? Clay County Ky

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Clinton County Ky

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |              |               |
|-----|--------------|---------------|
| (1) | John         | Albany Ky     |
| (2) | S. M.        | Robert Ky     |
| (3) | Sam          | Whiteville Ky |
| (4) | Sally King   | Ida           |
| (5) | Mary J. Kern | Robert Ky     |
| (6) |              |               |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Peter Jarvis and Elisabeth Bobb Jarvis Back to Ancestors Bobb g gate go ate Grand father

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint Ed Sabor of Alaska by my friend & lawyer Attorney to prosecute this claim & agree to  
have him (10) Percent of all money for me  
and direct that same be paid by the Commissioner

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Effie Albertson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Sept 1907.

Eda B. Sabor  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 25/1910

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Hattie Hooff

and Louis Miller

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Effie Albertson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Sept 1907.

My commission expires

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Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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Effie A. Albertson

W. A. Tabor, Atty  
Albany, Ky.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims 501  
Cray Building Washington D.C.

Mauby

1 Sir I make application for such shares as may  
2 be due me of The fund appropriated by the act  
3 of Congress approved June 30 1904 in accordance  
4 with the decree of the Court of Claims  
5 of May 18. 1904 and May 28. 1904 in favor of  
6 The Eastern Cherokee the evidence of  
7 identity is herewith Subjoined

8 Name under all questions Should Be  
9 short but complete if you can not answer  
10 so state

11 State full Name

12 English

Effie L. Albertson

13 Indian

Cobb

14 Residence and Postoffice: Whitley Ky

15 County

Clinton

16 State

Kentucky

17 How old are you 21 years

18 Where were you born Clinton Co Ky

19 are you married yes

20 Name and age of wife's husband W. H. Albertson 29

21 To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?  
none

22 Name all of your children who were living on  
May 28 1906 Giving their ages

Name

age

Born

1 Melmer Hall Albertson

2

3

4

5

6

7

8

11 Give name of your father and your Mother  
and Mother's name Before marriage John C. Jarvis

Annice Russell. ~~Annice~~

Father- English name: John C. Jarvis

Indian name Cobb

Mother's English name: Annice Jarvis

Indian name None.

Maiden name Russell.

12 Where were they Born?

Father Kentucky

Mother Tennessee

Where did they reside in 1841 if living at  
that time

Father: Kentucky

Mother: Not Born.

13 Where they ever ennobled for money annuities  
Land or benefits? if so State When and Where  
and with Tribe of Indians:

14 Name all your Brothers and Sisters Giving  
ages and Residences if Possible:

Name Born Died

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State English and Indian names of your  
Grandparents on both father's and Mother's  
side if Possible

Father's side

Nathan Jarvis

Nancy

Indian name Cobb



18 Where were They Born? Kentucky

19 Where did They Reside in 1851 if living at That Time Kentucky

20 Give names of all Their children and Residences if Possible

|   |                |           |
|---|----------------|-----------|
| 1 | John C. Jarvis | Albany Ky |
| 2 | Wherrod Jarvis | Shilley " |
| 3 | Sam B. Jarvis  | Texas     |
| 4 | Peter Jarvis   | Ind       |
| 5 | Valle King     | "         |
| 6 |                |           |
| 7 |                |           |

21 Have you ever enrolled for ~~Indians~~ annuities Land or other Benefits? if so State When and Where and With What Trib of Indians:  
No.

To assist in identification claimant should Give the full English name Indian names if Possible of their Parents and Grand Parents back to 1835:

Grand Father Nathan Jarvis. Gr. Mother Nancy Jarvis  
Great Gr " Peter Jarvis. Grt " " Betsy Cobb  
Great " " " Ambros Cobb. Grt. Grt " Fannie Cobb  
Mother

I appoint F. A. Tabor of Albany Ky My True and Lawful attorney I Prosecute this claim and hereby agree To Pay my said attorney Ten (10) Percent of such sum as may Be found due me in the Premises and direct sum to be Paid To my said attorney By the Hon Special Commis. of the U S Court of Claims



Personally appeared Before me J. S. Miller  
and J. A. Cross  
Who ~~being~~ duly sworn and depose  
say they are  
and are well acquainted with Effie L. Albertson  
and J. A. Cross Who Makes the  
 foregoing application and Statements  
and have known her for 15 years and  
appears Respectly and known her  
To be the identical Person she represents  
her self to Be and that the Statements  
made By her are True to the Best of their  
Knowledge and Belief and they have  
no interest Wholence in his claim  
Witness To Work  
Effie L. Albertson

Signature of Witnesses  
J. S. Miller  
J. A. Cross

subscribed and Sworn to before me this  
Aug 27th 1907 by Effie L. Albertson  
My Commission expires E. M. Gay Clerk  
by John B. Jarvis D.C.

App. No. 40903

September 18, 1907.

F. A. Tabor,  
Albany, Kentucky.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of the application of Effie L. Albertson, which is very defective.

There is enclosed herewith a blank which your client must fill out and return to this Office without delay.

You will direct the applicant to answer each question completely, and state the birth of her child.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Enclosure.

Reply in  
Full of  
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mistake  
adly



**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,

App. No. 40903.

WASHINGTON, D. C. September 18, 1907.

F. A. Tabor,

Albany, Kentucky.

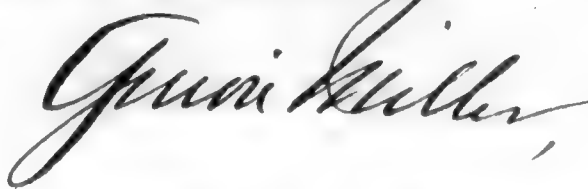
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Very respectfully,



Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.



Cherokee  
Enrollment

Lizzie Cross  
Shipley

No 40906

For Agreement

Filed by  
F A Sabre  
Albany  
N.Y.

## CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT.

### Fee Agreement.

I, Lizzie Cross, of Shiloh Ky,  
having made application for such shares as may be found due me  
by the decree of the U. S. Court of Claims, May 28, 1906, etc., I  
hereby agree to pay my attorney, F. I. Tabor, of Albany, Ky., ten  
(10) per cent of such sum as may be found due me on a final set-  
tlement and request same to be paid to my said attorney by the  
Honorable Guion Miller, Special Commissioner, Washington, D. C.

(SIGNED) Lizzie Cross

Acknowledged before me by the above named claimant to be her  
voluntary act and deed.

This 25 day of September, 1907.

Elza Bethune Watson Reblie  
My Commission Expires Feb 26/1910.

No. 40904

Name *John O James* and *3* children. Action: *Rejected*  
Reasons: Residence: *Albany, Ky.*

*Cousin of #21063 and claim, (had same source*

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Eastern Cherokee  
Application

John C. Jarvis

J. L. Tabor  
Alvany, Ky.



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims  
601 Oway Building Washington D.C.

Sir: I hereby make application for  
such share as may be due me of the fund  
appropriated by the Act of Congress  
approved June 30 1906 in accordance  
with the decree of the Court of Claims of  
May 18, 1905 and May 28 1906 in favor  
of the Eastern Cherokee. The evidence  
of identity is herewith submitted

1 State full name

English name John C. Jarvis  
Indian " Cobb

2 Residence and post office Albany  
County Clinton State Kentucky

How old are you 71 yrs Born June 27 1836

Where were you born Clinton County Ky

Are you married yes

What age of wife or husband Minnie  
Jarvis age 49 years

To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong  
None

Name all your children who are living  
on May 28, 1906 giving their ages

|                   |    |
|-------------------|----|
| Julia C. Jarvis   | 39 |
| Charles C. Jarvis | 38 |
| Mary R. Jarvis    | 35 |
| John C. Jarvis    | 28 |
| Lizzie Cross      | 24 |
| Minnie H. Jarvis  | 30 |
| Mildred S. Jarvis | 26 |
| John B. Jarvis    | 24 |
| Eddie S. Jarvis   | 21 |
| Mary L. Jarvis    | 15 |
| Minnie C. Jarvis  | 10 |

10 Give names of your father and mother  
and your mother's name before marriage  
Father-English name: Nathan Jarvis  
Indian name Cobb  
Mother-English name Nancy  
Indian name: none  
Maiden name: Cole.

12 Where were they born Clay Co. Kentucky  
Father  
Mother Cumberland Co. Kentucky

13 Where did they reside in 1851 if living  
at that time  
Father Clinton Co. Kentucky  
Mother " " "

Date of death of Father and Mother  
Father: June 17-1890  
Mother: 1897

15 Were they ever enrolled or among  
Commuted lands or other benefits?  
If so state when and where and with  
what tribe of Indians, No.

16 Name me your brothers and sisters  
giving ages and residences if possible  
Name Born Age  
1 Charles W. Jarvis 21  
2 Saml B. Jarvis 18  
3 Peter Jarvis 15  
4 Alice Mary 11  
5  
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Special Commissioner of Claims

17 State English and Indian names of  
your parents and of your grandparents  
if possible  
Father's name: Elizabeth or B. L. Co. on mother's side

*Special Commissioner of Claims*

(17) State English and Indian names of your grand parents on both Fathers and mothers side if possible

Fathers side:

Mothers side

Elizabeth or Betsy Cobb on Fathers side  
Peter Jarvis was my Grand Father

(18) Where were they born: Elizabeth or Betsy Cobb. was born at Tuscaloosa Ala. dont know about

(19) Where did they reside in 1861 if living at that time. Do not know. <sup>Grand Father</sup>

(20) Give names of their children and residences if possible

Names

1 Hue Jarvis

2 Sam Jarvis

3 Harrison Jarvis

4 John Jarvis

5 Amos Jarvis

6 John Jarvis

7 Editha S. W.

Catherine Hozy.

8 Anne Hare

Have you ever enrolled for money annuities land or other benefits: if so state when and where and with what tribe of Indian? No.



To assist in Identification Claimant  
Should give the full English and  
Indian names if possible of their  
parents and Grand parents back to  
1835. Grand father Peter Jarvis, <sup>Grand mother</sup> Elizabeth Cobb  
Great Grand father Ambros Cobb <sup>Great Grand mother</sup>  
<sup>not known</sup> great great Grand mother Fannie Cobb. Sister

I appoint F. A. Sabor of Albany my  
my true and lawful attorney to prosecute  
this claim and hereby agree to pay  
my said Attorney Ten (10) percent of such  
sum as may be due me in the premises  
and direct same to be paid to my  
said attorney by the Hon. Special  
Commissioner of the U.S. Court of  
Claims.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made  
by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

John C. Jarvis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of  
August 1907. My Commission Expires Feb.

Elza Bertram Nelson, Public

Personally appeared before me J. W. Cohen  
and J. G. Lang

Who being duly sworn depose  
and say <sup>that</sup> they are well acquainted with  
John C. Jarvis <sup>who makes the</sup>  
<sup>that they have known him for 25 and 25 years respectively</sup>  
foregoing Application and statements

What they say are true to the best of  
their knowledge and belief and  
have no interest whatever in the  
claim.

J. W. Cohen  
J. G. Lang

Subscribed and sworn to before me



Made by him are true to the best of  
their knowledge and belief and they  
Have no interest whatever in his  
Claim

J. W. Catron  
J. G. Lang

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
the 27th day of August 1907.

My Commission Expires Feb 26 1910

Elza Buttram Notary Public

Made by him are true to the best of  
their knowledge and belief and they  
Have no interest whatever in his  
Claim

J. W. Catron  
J. G. Long

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
the 27th day of August 1907.

My Commission Expires Feb 26 1910

Eda Butam Notary Public

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E. 11113  
P. 11113  
M. 40904

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W. G. SIMPSON, PRESIDENT

J. W. CATRON, CASHIER.

J. G. LONG, CASHIER.

Bank of Albany  
Albany, Ky.

October, 16th, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller,

Special Commissioner,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

As one of the Claimants to the Eastern Cherokee enrollment I am writing you to know if the Cobb family have established their title to the grant or fund held by the Government for the decedants of the Cherokee Indians

I will be greatly pleased to know if the testimony given as to our title to a part of Fund through the Peter Jarvis whose wife was Betsey Cobb. And when will the distribution be made, in your opinion.

Yours Truly,

J. C. Jarvis,

Grand Son of Peter Jarvis.



No. 40905

Name *Millard G. Jarvis*

and

1 children.

Action: *Repeled.*

Reasons:

Residence: *Albany, Ky.*

*Cousin of #21063 and claims this same source.*

W 40905

Eastern Cherokee

Application  
of.

Millard G. Farino.

J. A. Taber  
Albany, Ky

Special Commissioner of the Court of  
Claims. 601 Huray Building  
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share  
as may be due me of the fund appropriated  
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Court of Claims of May 18-1906 and  
May 28-1906 in favor of the  
Eastern Cherokee:

The evidence of identity is herewith  
subjoined:

- 1 State full name:  
English name: Millard G. Farvis  
Indian name: Cobb.
- 2 Residence and office: Albany
- 3 County: Clinton
- 4 State: Kentucky
- 5 How old are you: 25 years
- 6 Where were you born: Clinton co. Ky.
- 7 Are you married: Yes
- 8 Name and age of wife or husband:  
Arizona Farvis 25 yrs of age
- 9 To what tribe of Indians does he or she  
Belong: None.
- 10 Name all your children now living  
on May 28-1906.

Special Commissioner of the Court of  
Claims, 601 Quay Building  
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share  
as may be due me of the fund appropriated  
by the act of Congress approved June 30-1906  
in accordance with the decree of the  
Court of Claims of May 18-1906 and  
May 28-1906 in favor of the  
Eastern Cherokee:

The evidence of identity is herewith  
subjoined:

- 1 State and name:  
English name: Millard G. Jarvis  
Indian name: Cobb.
- 2 Residence and office: Albany
- 3 County: Clinton
- 4 State: Kentucky
- 5 How old are you: 25 years
- 6 Where was you born: Clinton co. Ky.
- 7 Are you married: Yes
- 8 Name and age of wife or husband:  
Arizona Jarvis 25 yrs of age
- 9 To what tribe of Indians does he or she  
Belong: None.
- 10 Name all your children now living  
on May 28-1906.



|   | Name.            | Age.    |
|---|------------------|---------|
| 1 | Hattie B. Jarvis | 3 years |
| 2 |                  |         |
| 3 |                  |         |
| 4 |                  |         |
| 5 |                  |         |
| 6 |                  |         |

(11)

Give name of your father and mother and your mother's name before marriage.

Father's English name: John C. Jarvis  
Indian name: Cobb.

Mother's English name: Annie Jarvis  
Indian name: None

Maiden name: Annie Russell.

12 Where were you born?

Father: Clinton Co. Kentucky

Mother: Roane Co. Tennessee.

13 Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father Kentucky

Mother Not born.

(14) State of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

(15) Were they ever enrolled for money  
ammunition and other supplies?  
If so state when and where and with  
what tribe of Indians?

(16) Name of the person who was the first  
to see you and your father and mother  
and where they were when they were first  
seen.

(16) Were they ever enrolled for money  
 annuities, land or other benefits:  
 If so state when and where and with  
 what tribe of Indians none

(16) Name all your brothers and sisters  
 giving ages and residence if possible:

| Name            | Born | Residence         | Status |
|-----------------|------|-------------------|--------|
| 1 Luther Jarvis | 1867 | Borne             | died   |
| 2 Herrod Jarvis | 1873 | Albany, N.Y.      | living |
| 3 Marie Jarvis  | 1875 | Los Angeles, Cal. | living |
| 4 Lizzie Cross  | 1876 | Albany, N.Y.      | living |
| 5 George Jarvis | 1874 | Albany, N.Y.      | living |
| 6 Minnie Ward   | 1871 | Albany, N.Y.      | living |
| 7 John Ward     | 1884 | Albany, N.Y.      | living |

Effie Albertson 1887  
 Chas. Play 1891  
 Ambros Jarvis 1891  
 Willa Jarvis 1898  
 Albany N.Y.

(17) State English and Indian names of  
 your grand parents on both Fathers  
 and Mothers side if possible:

Fathers side:

Nathan Jarvis.

Nancy ..

Indian name: Cobb.

Mothers side:

(18) Where were they born: Kentucky

Where did they reside in 1861 if living  
 at that time: Kentucky

Give names of all their children and residence if possible:

| Names |                |            |
|-------|----------------|------------|
| 1     | John Jarvis    | Albany, Ky |
| 2     | Sherrod Jarvis | Shapley "  |
| 3     | Sam. B. Jarvis | Texas      |
| 4     | Peter Jarvis   | Idied      |
| 5     | Sallie King    | "          |
| 6     |                | "          |
| 7     |                |            |

(21) Have you ever been enrolled for money annuities, land or other benefits if so state when and where and with what tribe of Indians: No.

To assist in identification, Claimant should give the full English and Indian names if possible of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:  
 Grand Father Nathan Jarvis. Or Mother Nancy Cobb  
 Gt " " Peter " " Great Grand Mother  
 Great Great Gr Father Ambros Cobb. " " " " Elizabeth Cobb  
 " " " " " " " " " "

I appoint Mr. Tabor of Albany Ky.  
 my true and lawful Attorney to prosecute -  
 this claim and here by agree to pay  
 my said attorney Ten (10) per cent of such  
 sum as may be found due me in the

premises and direct same to be paid  
 to my said attorney by the Honorable  
 Commissioner of the Indian  
 Claims

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statement made by me

Give names of all their children and residence if possible:

| Names |                |            |
|-------|----------------|------------|
| 1     | John Jarvis    | Albany, Ky |
| 2     | Sherrod Jarvis | Shapley "  |
| 3     | Sam. B. Jarvis | Texas      |
| 4     | Peter Jarvis   | Idaho      |
| 5     | Sallie King    | "          |
| 6     |                |            |
| 7     |                |            |

21) Have you ever been enrolled for money annuities, land or other benefits: if so state when and where and with what tribe of Indians: No.

To assist in identification, Claimant should give the full English and Indian names if possible of their parents and grand parents back to 1835:  
 Grand Father Nathan Jarvis. Gr Mother Nancy Cobb  
 Gr " " Peter " " Great Grand Mother  
 Great Great Gr Father Ambros Cobb. Fannie Elizabeth Cobb  
 Mother

I appoint T. L. Tabor of Albany Ky.  
 my true and lawful Attorney to prosecute  
 this claim and here by agree to pay  
 my said attorney Ten (10) per cent of such  
 sum as may be found due me in the



premises and direct same to be paid  
to my said attorney By the Hon. special  
Commissioner of the U.S. Court of  
Claims

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me  
are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Millard G. Jarvis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this August 27 1907. My Commission  
Expires Feb 26 1910.

Elza Beaman Notary Public  
Personally appeared before me E.B. King  
and P.G. King ~~Millard G. Jarvis~~

Who being duly sworn on oath depose  
and say they are well acquainted  
with Millard G. Jarvis who makes the  
foregoing application <sup>have known him for 20 years</sup> and statements  
made by him are true to the best of  
their knowledge and belief and they have  
no interest whatever in his claim.

E.B. King  
P.G. King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 27  
day of August 1907 My Commission Expires Feb 26 1910

Elza Beaman Notary Public

No. 40906

Action: Reported

Name Lizzie C. Cross

and X children.

Residence: Shipley, Ky.

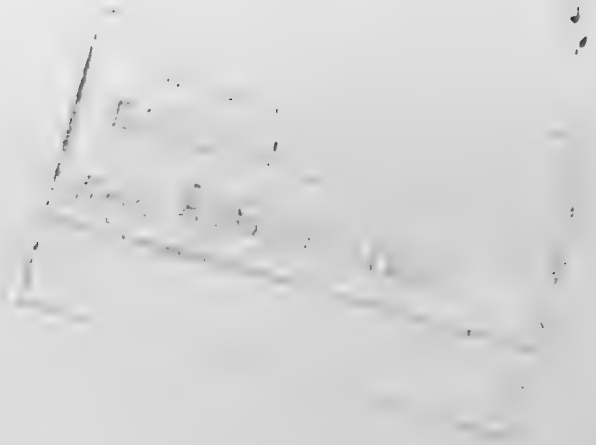
Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 and claims this same name.

no 40906

Eastern  
Cherokee  
Application  
of

Fizzie C. Cross



Special Commissioner of the Court of  
Claims 601 Survey Building Washington  
D.C.

Sir:-

I hereby apply for such share as may be  
due me of The fund appropriated by The  
act of Congress approved June 30-1906 in  
accordance with The decree of the Court of  
Claims of May 18-1906 and May 28-1906  
in favor of The Eastern Cherokee

The identity is herewith submitted

- 1 State full name:  
English name: Lizzie C. Cross  
Indian Name: Cobb.
- 2 Residence and post office: Shipley
- 3 County: Clinton
- 4 State: Kentucky.
- 5 How old are you: 31 years
- 6 Where were you born: Clinton Co. Ky
- 7 Are you married: yes
- 8 Name and age of wife or husband.  
Joseph H. Cross 37 yrs
- 9 To what tribe of Indians does he or she  
Belong. none
- 10 Name all your children who were  
living on May 28-1906 giving their ages



|      | Names   | Age     |
|------|---|---------|
| 1    | Myrtle E. Cross   | 18      |
| 2    | Oscar H. Cross  | 10      |
| 3    | Willie F. Cross   | 8       |
| 4    | Jeneva G. Cross   | 7       |
| 5    | Vernie L. Cross   | 5       |
| 6    | George M. Cross   | 3       |
| (11) | Give name of your father and mother and your mother's name before marriage. |         |
|      | Father's English name: John C. Jarvis                                       |         |
|      | Indian name: Cobb.  |         |
|      | Mother's English name: Anise Jarvis   |         |
|      | Indian  | none    |
|      | Maiden  | Shipley |
| 12   | Where were you born?  |         |
|      | Father: Kentucky  |         |
|      | Mother: ..  |         |
| 13   | Where did they reside in 1851 if living at that time?                       |         |
|      | Father: Kentucky  |         |
|      | Mother: Kentucky  |         |
| (14) | Date of death of your father and mother                                     |         |
|      | Father: Living  |         |
|      | Mother: Died  |         |

- 15 Were they ever enrolled for money annuities. land or other benefits if so state when and where and with what tribe of Indians: none
- 16 Name all your brothers and sisters giving ages and residence if possible

| Names             | Born | Deed |
|-------------------|------|------|
| Luther Jarvis     |      |      |
| Somerset, Ky      | 1867 |      |
| Sherrill & Jarvis |      |      |
| Albany, Ky.       | 1873 |      |
| Maria Jarvis      |      |      |
| Los Angeles Cal.  | 1875 |      |
| Geo. & Jarvis     |      |      |
| Albany Ky         | 1874 |      |
| Minnie Ward       |      |      |
| Foss Oklahoma     | 1871 |      |
| Millard & Jarvis  |      |      |
| Albany Ky.        | 1852 |      |
| John A. Jarvis    |      |      |
| Albany Ky.        | 1854 |      |
| Effie Albertson   |      |      |
| Chaplin Ky        | 1897 |      |
| Amos Jarvis       |      |      |
| Albany Ky         | 1891 |      |
| Willie C. Jarvis  |      |      |
| Albany Ky         | 1898 |      |

all living

- 17 State English and Indian name of your grand parents on both Fathers and Mothers side if possible

Fathers side.

Nathan Jarvis

Nancy "

Indian name: Cobb.

- 18 Where were they born: Kentucky.

- 19 where did they reside in 1851 if living  
at that time: Clinton Co Ky.
- 20 Give names of all their land residence  
if possible.

Names

John B. Jarvis  
Sherrad Jarvis  
Sam B. Jarvis  
Peter Jarvis  
Baltie King

Albany Ky  
Whipley  
Texas  
Breed

21. Have you ever been enrolled money  
Annuities land or other benefits  
if so state when and where and  
with what tribe of Indians? None.

22. To assist in identification claimant  
should give the full English and Indian  
names if possible of their parents  
and grand parents back to 1836
- Grand Father: Nathan Jarvis } great great  
Great Grand Father Peter Jarvis } grand mother  
Great Great Grand Father Am brook Cobb } Betsey Cobb.  
Great great great grand mother Fannie Cobb. Mother

I appoint J. A. Taber of Albany Ky.  
my true and lawful attorney to prosecute  
this claim and hereby agree to pay my  
said attorney Ten (10) per cent. of such sum

as may be found due me in the  
premises and direct same to be paid  
to my said Attorney By the Hon  
Special Commissioner of the U.S.  
Court of Claims

I do solemnly swear That the foregoing  
statements made by me are true to the  
best of my knowledge and belief

Lizzie Cross

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Lizzie Cross to  
be her act and deed for the purpose herein named. E. M. Cox Clerk  
Personally appeared before me, By John B. Jarvis D.C.,  
and J. S. Miller

who being duly sworn on oath depose and  
say They know are well acquainted with

Lizzie Cross who makes the  
foregoing application and statements  
and has known her for years  
made by her are true to the best of  
their knowledge and belief and they  
respectfully and know her to be identical  
person the applicants but up to all  
have no interest whatever in this

Claim Subscribed and sworn to before  
me by J. S. Miller and J. A. Cross

E. M. Cox Clerk

By J. B. Jarvis D.C.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 5 1909  
No. 40906

circ. lit.

Duplex, Cy. Jan. 1881  
Hon. John. Miller. as we  
have in claims we would  
be glad to hear from them  
and we are sure they will  
be glad to hear from us  
and soon ours is the  
claim we are working  
on now  
Yours  
J. F. Cross.

40906.

40144

21063

No. 40907

Action: Repeled

Name John B. Jarvis and 2 children. Residence: Albany, Ky.

Reasons:

Cousin of #2106's a & claims this same source.

No 40907

Eastern Cherokees

Application  
of

John B. Jarvis

J. A. Gabor,  
Wm. Ky

40907



Special Commissioner of The Court of  
Claims 601 Murray Building Washington D. C.

1 Sir, I hereby make application for such  
2 ~~both~~ shares as may be due me of the  
3 appropriated by the act of congress approved  
4 June 30, 1906 in accordance with the decree of  
5 the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905 and May 28, 1906  
6 in favor of the Eastern Cherokee the  
7 evidence of identity is herewith submitted

8  
9 Note answers to all questions should be  
10 short but complete if you can answer  
11 so state.

12 1 State full Name

13 English Name

John B. Jarvis

14 Indian Name

Cobb

15 2 Residences and Past Office: Albany

16 3 County

Clinton

17 4 State

Kentucky

18 5 How old are you?

22 years

19 6 Where were you born Clinton Co. Ky

20 7 are you married?

yes

21 8 Name and age of wife or husband Georgina R. 22

22 9 To what Tribe of Indians do you or she belong

None

23 10 Name all your children who are living  
an May 28, 1906 Giving their ages

Name

Age

Born

Archie L. Jarvis

4 years

1903

W. Stanley Jarvis

2 .. "

1905

11 Give Names of your Father and Mother <sup>Before</sup> Marriage: *John C. Farvis*

4 Father's English name: *John C. Farvis*

5 Indian: *Cobb.*

6 Mother's English Name: *Annie Farvis*

7 Indian Name *none.*

8 Maiden Name *Annie Russell.*

12 Where Were they Born

9 Father *Clinton County Kentucky.*

10 Mother *Roane Co. Tenn.*

13 Where did They reside in 1851 if living at That Time

11 Father *Clinton Co Ky*

12 Mother *Not Born.*

14 Date of death of your father and Mother

13 Father *Living*

14 Mother *"*

15 Were They ever entitled for Money annuities

15 Land or other Benefits? if so State when and where

16 and With What Tribe of Indians *no*

16 Name all your Brothers and sisters Giving

ages and Residences if Possible

|   | Name               | Born | Died   |
|---|--------------------|------|--------|
| 1 | Ruth M Farvis      | 1867 | Living |
| 2 | Cherrod K "        | 1873 | "      |
| 3 | Maxie R. "         | 1875 | "      |
| 4 | Lizzie C. Cross    | 1876 | "      |
| 5 | George K Farvis    | 1874 | "      |
| 6 | Minnie K Ward      | 1871 | "      |
| 7 | Millard S. Farvis  | 1882 | "      |
| 8 | John B. Farvis     | 1884 | "      |
| 9 | Effie K. Robertson | 1887 | "      |
|   | Ambros N Farvis    | 1891 | "      |
|   | Willie C. Farvis   | 1898 | "      |



17<sup>1</sup> State English and Indian names of your  
Grandparents on both Fathers and Mothers  
Side if Possible:

|   | Fathers Side      | Mothers Side |
|---|-------------------|--------------|
| 2 | Nathan Jarvis     |              |
| 3 | Nancy .. ..       |              |
| 4 | Indian name Cobb. |              |

18 Where Were They Born  
19 Where did they Reside in 1851 if Living at That  
Date

Clinton Co. N.Y.

20 Give names of all Their Children and Residences  
if Possible

|   |                 |              |
|---|-----------------|--------------|
| 1 | John Jarvis     |              |
| 2 | Sherrill Jarvis | Albany N.Y.  |
| 3 | Saml. B. Jarvis | Ship City .. |
| 4 | Peter Jarvis    | Texas        |
| 5 | Sallie King     | Wisc.        |
| 6 |                 | ..           |

21 Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities  
Land or other Benefits? if so State when and where  
and with what tribe of Indians?

22 To assist in identification Claimant Should give  
The full English and Indian Names if possible  
of Their Parents and Grandparents Back To 1835

|               |               |              |                |
|---------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|
| Grand Father: | Nathan Jarvis | Grand Mother | Nancy Cobb     |
| Great ..      | Peter         | Great Gr ..  | Elizabeth Cobb |
| Great ..      | ..            | ..           | ..             |

Remarks

I appoint F. A. Taber of Albany N.Y. My Trust

No. 40908

Action: Reject

Name Franky Crabtree and 1 children. Residence: Rugby, Penn.

Reasons:

Cousin of #38843, and claims through the same ancestors.



No. 40908

Name Franky Crabtree

With No. 38843

Remarks:

No. 10908

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Franky Crabtree.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

80607

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Franky Crahter.

Indian name: Hirley.

2. Residence and post office: Rugby.

3. County: Morgan.

4. State: Tennessee.

5. How old are you? 20 Born Jan. 25, 1887

6. Where were you born? Deer Creek county, Tenn.

7. Are you married? yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: George H. Crahter. 28.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.      | BORN.                |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Johnny H. Crahter</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>Nov 28, 1902.</u> |
| (2) | _____                    | _____     | _____                |
| (3) | _____                    | _____     | _____                |
| (4) | _____                    | _____     | _____                |
| (5) | _____                    | _____     | _____                |
| (6) | _____                    | _____     | _____                |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Andrew J. Reagan.

Indian name: Hirley.

Mother—English name: Elisabeth Reagan.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Elisabeth Craig.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Deer Creek county, Tennessee.

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not Born

Mother: Fentress county Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: ---

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN.                 | DIED. |
|-----|--|-----------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Solomon Reagan.</u><br><u>Glen Hey Tenn.</u>    | <u>Aug. 29. 1880.</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Wm. Reagan.</u><br><u>Little crab Tenn.</u>     | <u>May. 3. 1886</u>   |       |
| (3) | <u>Nancy J. Grier.</u><br><u>Little crab Tenn.</u> | <u>Jan. 12. 1883.</u> |       |
| (4) |  |                       |       |
| (5) |  |                       |       |
| (6) |  |                       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

|                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| <u>John Reagan.</u>  |  |
| <u>Nancy Reagan.</u> |  |
| <u>Indian name.</u>  |  |
| <u>Nancy Finley.</u> |  |

18. Where were they born? father in N.C. mother in Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fentress county Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|                               |                          |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) <u>Thomas J. Reagan.</u>  | <u>dec.</u>              |
| (2) <u>Joel L. Reagan.</u>    | <u>Little crab Tenn.</u> |
| (3) <u>Andrew J. Reagan.</u>  | <u>" " "</u>             |
| (4) <u>Elizabeth Corvater</u> | <u>dec.</u>              |
| (5) <u>Rebecca Spencer.</u>   | <u>" "</u>               |
| (6) <u>Lucianah Baker.</u>    | <u>wildes Tenn.</u>      |
| 7 <u>Margaret J. Hood</u>     |                          |
| 8 <u>Martha Baker.</u>        | <u>dec.</u>              |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: M.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: parents: Andrew Reagan & Elizabeth Reagan.  
grand parents: John Reagan & Mary Reagan.  
great grand parents: James Finley & Betty Finley.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim through James Finley who was a brother of Betty Finley who was a daughter of James Finley & Betty Finley. I appoint H. F. Baker of Albany, N. Y. atty to prosecute this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Franky Crabtree

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1910., 190

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Thurman Buck  
and David G. Stevens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Franky Crabtree who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and 18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Thurman Buck  
David G. Stevens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1910., 190

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40909  
Name *Giola H. Martin* and 1 children. Residence *Muskogee*  
Reasons: *Oklahoma*

*Grand-niece of #1301*

40909

No. 40909

Name Viola H. Martin

With No. 2002

Remarks :

*Price* *Subl.*  
No. 40009

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Viola H. Martin,*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*52677*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Wola H. Martin

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Muskogee Ind. Terr.

3. County: Creek Station

4. State: Ind. Terr.

5. How old are you? 21 Born 1886

6. Where were you born? Ind. Terr.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Frank D. Martin (27 yrs.)

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.           | BORN.             |
|-----|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>Quida Ray Martin</u> | <u>2 years</u> | <u>Apr 23-06.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mildred Martin</u>   | <u>3 mos</u>   | <u>" 7-07</u>     |
| (3) | _____                   | _____          | _____             |
| (4) | _____                   | _____          | _____             |
| (5) | _____                   | _____          | _____             |
| (6) | _____                   | _____          | _____             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Charlotte C. Duncan Rudolph H. Heagart

Father—English name: Rudolph H. Heagart

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Charlotte C. Martin

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Charlotte C. Duncan

12. Where were they born?

Father: Germany

Mother: Croatian Territory

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_ Born 1860

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Don't know

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_ Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

All payments since born including Allotments in Cherokee Nation.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                  | BORN.        | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------|--------------|-------|
| (1) | John S. Martin         | Sept 17 1898 | L.    |
| (2) | Rudolph H. Hebert      | Dec 21 1881  | L.    |
|     | U.S. Recruiting office |              |       |
| (3) | Shannon Elder          |              |       |
| (4) |                        |              |       |
| (5) |                        |              |       |
| (6) |                        |              |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.      | MOTHER'S SIDE.          |
|---------------------|-------------------------|
| Don't know          | Loshua B. Duncan        |
| All born in Germany | Elizabeth Ry Duncan     |
|                     | (Cherokee Nation Creek) |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Indian Territory Cherokee Nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                       |              |
|-----|-----------------------|--------------|
| (1) | Charlotte L.          | Sept 17 1898 |
| (2) | L. Duncan Blue Jacket | Oct 17 1898  |
| (3) |                       |              |
| (4) |                       |              |
| (5) |                       |              |
| (6) |                       |              |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: yes all since born,

including allotment in Cherokee chky,  
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Charlotte L. Duncan  
(Her parents) J. B. and Elizabeth Duncan

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Number of my Mother's affiliation is  
2002 My Grand parents on Mother's side  
were both Cherokee's & on Father's side White  
I do not know much about them.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Viola H. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 9<sup>th</sup>, 1911.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me, Lee Webb

and G. B. Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Viola H. Martin

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Lee Webb  
G. B. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 13, 1908.

J. S. Davis

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



on May 28, 1906, Sh years and 2 years,  
to be the identical person Sh represents herself to be, and that  
are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.  
Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

See above  
H.B. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Oct 3, 1908.  
Notary Public.

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No. 48909

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

### SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Onida Ray Martin  
McPhee "

### FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

Filed Aug. 30th /07



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 1

1. State your full name: Viola H. Martin
2. Residence and post office: Missoula, Ind. 12, Ind.
3. County: Ind. 12, Ind.
4. State: Ind. 12, Ind.
5. Date and place of birth: August 23, 1905, (Vinita)
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Viola H. Martin ( )
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee's
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.         | BORN.          |
|-----|-------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| (1) | <u>Viola Ray Martin</u> | <u>2 yrs</u> | <u>8/23-05</u> |
| (2) | <u>Michael Martin</u>   | <u>3 yrs</u> | <u>11/4/07</u> |
| (3) |                         |              |                |
| (4) |                         |              |                |
| (5) |                         |              |                |
| (6) |                         |              |                |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: (Cherokee Nation) Notment.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Grandmother Charles H. Martin (her parents)  
Nashua B. Curran and Elizabeth H. Curran

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Viola H. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My Commission expires

June 9<sup>th</sup>, 1911.

Notary Public.

# AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me See Webb and M.B. Williams who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Viola L. Martin who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

See Webb  
M.B. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August, 1907.

J. J. Gandy  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 3, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No.

48909

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

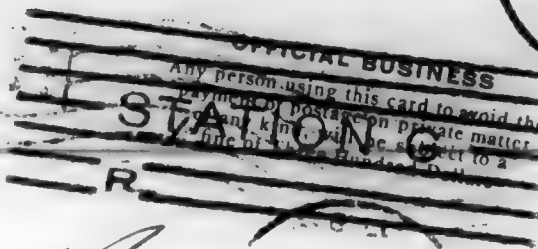
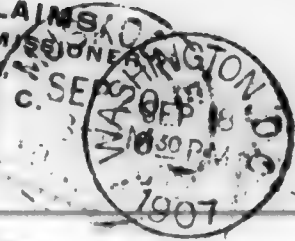
Viola L. Martin  
M.B. Williams

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

Filed Aug. 30th/07.

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS  
OURAY BUILDING  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



*Viola H. Martin*  
*Muskogee*  
*I. G.*

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT**

601 OURAY BUILDING  
Washington, D. C., 9/18, 1907

Receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees is hereby acknowledged. It has been filed as application No. 40989, and will be considered in its order.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above, and be addressed to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

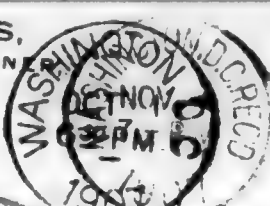
GUION MILLER,  
Special Commissioner.



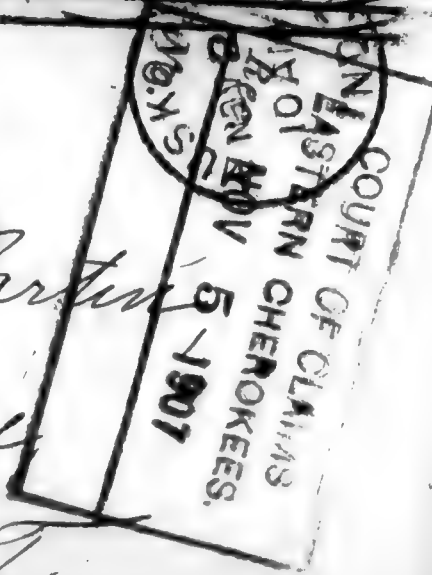
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U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSION  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



*Viola H. Martin*  
*Muskogee*  
*J. G.*



**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS**  
**EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT**  
601 OURAY BUILDING  
Washington, D. C., 10/11 1907

Receipt of your supplemental application on behalf of your minor children for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees is hereby acknowledged. It has been filed with your original application, No. 40909, with which it will be considered.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above, and be addressed to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

GUION MILLER,  
Special Commissioner.

No. 40910

Action: Rejected

Name Blanche Reagan and X children. Residence: Lafollette, Tenn.

Reasons:

Niece of # 19326 and claims through same source.



No. 40910

Name *Blanche Reagan*

With No. 19326-

Remarks:

*Office*

40910

No. ....

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Blanche Reagan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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RECEIVED  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
MAY 1906  
No. ....

*6/20/07*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*B. L. Ragan*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Lafayette*

3. County:

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*22 yrs. Born July 31" 1886 -*

6. Where were you born?

*Athens Tenn.*

7. Are you married?

*No*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokees*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Isaac Ragan*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Margaret Reagan*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Margaret Fore*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Athens Tenn.*

Mother:

*Athens Tenn.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *still living*

Mother: *still living*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *no*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.       | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>none</i> |       |       |
| (2) |             |       |       |
| (3) |             |       |       |
| (4) |             |       |       |
| (5) |             |       |       |
| (6) |             |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.    | MOTHER'S SIDE.     |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| <i>don't know</i> | <i>How Hore</i>    |
|                   | <i>hemina Hore</i> |
|                   |                    |
|                   |                    |

18. Where were they born? *Athens Tenn.*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Athens, Tenn.*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                   |  |
|-----|-------------------|--|
| (1) | <i>don't know</i> |  |
| (2) |                   |  |
| (3) |                   |  |
| (4) |                   |  |
| (5) |                   |  |
| (6) |                   |  |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Blanche Reagan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug, 1907.

U. G. Thompson

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 2, 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Lizzie Matlock  
and Mary Thomas, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Blanche Reagan  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 22 years and  
22 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Lizzie Matlock

Mary Thomas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 2, 1910 U. G. Thompson

Notary Public.

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No. 40911

Action: *Refused*

Name *Jennie Mayfield* and *X* children. Residence: *Calloway, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Applicants parents were slaves.*

*See letter.*

Field Jennie ?  
No. 40911 McMillan Co  
Name Jennie Mayfield  
With No.

Remarks:

Reject

Letter from  
J. S. Tyler says  
Reject as slave.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20001

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Seneca Mayfield

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) | None  | None | None  |
| (2) |       |      |       |
| (3) |       |      |       |
| (4) |       |      |       |
| (5) |       |      |       |
| (6) |       |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lived up above Athens Tennessee  
Mother: do do do do do

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died when I was a small girl  
Mother: Still living in James County Tennessee

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME          | BORN                  | DIED                                 |
|-----|---------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| (1) | Will Matlock  | In Upper E. Tennessee | Now living in James County Tennessee |
| (2) | Henry Matlock | In Upper E. Tennessee | Now living in James County Tennessee |
| (3) |               |                       |                                      |
| (4) |               |                       |                                      |
| (5) |               |                       |                                      |
| (6) |               |                       |                                      |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

Don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE

Don't know

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Upper E. Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Don't know

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: ✓ NV

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Don't know them  
I was small when my father died. If I could get to see my mother I might get some more facts.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Indian blood comes through my father.  
His mother was a full blood Indian. My father  
was a gentleman. Half blood

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. G. Samuel  
J. H. Gillard

(Signature)

her  
Jennie Mayfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

James Pugh  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

January, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me C. G. Samuel

and J. H. Gillard

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Jennie Mayfield

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 24 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. G. Samuel

J. H. Gillard

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Indians, Efforts to decide  
from, both Secord Hayfield  
would be called an Indian-  
She had all the marks from-  
Secord. High Church found some  
Indians. Mrs. Thompson this  
will be the same.

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SUNSHINE HILL

C. G. SAMUEL  
FARMER AND REAL ESTATE BROKER  
OFFICE AT RESIDENCE  
SEVERAL THOUSAND ACRES IN SMALL  
FARMS CHEAP

HAS ELBERTA ORCHARD  
OF 3000 TREES  
3 YEARS OLD

CALHOUN, TENN.

August 27, 1907

Send Miller Esq.

Washington City D C

Dear Sir

I enclose application  
of Jennie Mayfield. I have known  
Mr. Fears she had Indian blood  
from her long black course hair  
I told her so. I had her and her  
husband lived over 20 years  
ago. She told me often her father  
was half Indian. I sent her  
word to come and see the appli-  
cation. Her mother and  
were slaves and of course  
she does not know much  
about her father.

Government would send out  
Ludlow & party to decide  
from looks Lucie Mayfield  
would be classed as Indian  
She has all the marks from  
to High Chalk bones come  
Indian hair. This  
will be the same I am  
in the last  
to the same

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JUN 11 1908  
No. 40911

RESIDENCE, SUNSHINE HILL

1-4 MILE NORTHWEST P. O.

C. G. SAMUEL  
FARMER AND REAL ESTATE BROKER  
OFFICE AT RESIDENCE  
SEVERAL THOUSAND ACRES IN SMALL FARMS  
AND MINERAL LANDS

CALHOUN, TENN.

June 8<sup>th</sup> 1908

Miss Miller S. C.

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir,

At the request of Mrs. Lemmie Maynard  
her husband, who are now & have for last  
5 years been living on my farm and who  
came to me, because my father use  
to own the father of her husband. My  
father was elected President of Forest Hill  
Academy in 1829. He was a graduate  
Center College Ky. near Danville, and  
resided in Lexington Ky. He moved to  
Forest Hill one mile from Athens in  
1829. I was born there in 1833 and when  
about 1836 & 7 remember how we all were  
scared of the Indians. The Government  
was going to move them west and  
many refused to go. I remember



RESIDENCE, SUNSHINE HILL

1-4 MILE NORTHWEST P. O.

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SEVERAL THOUSAND ACRES IN SMALL FARMS  
AND MINERAL LANDS

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The cavalry hunting for them about Athens in 1837 & 38. Those who had refused to go. It was no uncommon thing for the negro slaves to cohabit with the Indians. Their color caused people to think that it was no harm. All the mixed bloods who were slaves were left behind, because they were slaves. There were quite a number of these Indian mixed bloods around Athens when I was a young man in between 1840 & 1850. An old man in there who has recently died and who I was going to see. I knew all about him Mayfield & father. There can be no doubt in the Indian blood in her as she carries the marks in her physiognomy. She has 15 or 20.

RESIDENCE, SUNSHINE HILL

1-4 MILE NORTHWEST P. O.

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black indian hair, the high cheek  
bones, the thin lips, indian nose and  
copper or ginger cake color. She also  
shows the indian trait in her  
life. If she gets mad, she never speaks  
until she gets over it. Every body  
around here, says she surely has indian  
blood, as she shows it. Any one who  
is an expert in detecting indian  
blood, would pronounce her a descen-  
dant of the indians. I also made  
application for Nos. 39094 + 39095.

... Melton, + Charley P. Melton. They  
have moved to Cleveland + Chattanooga.  
If you have written them or need to hear  
from them address me here and I will  
attend to it for them. They are indians, in  
fact, also strong.

Yrs Truly  
C. G. Samuel

7.5.9.

Appln. No. 40811.

June 4, 1919.

Jennie Mayfield.

Calhoun, Tennessee.

1812:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your  
parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?  
Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of  
1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor  
through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided  
in 1835 and 1846? <sup>51</sup> Were any of your ancestors slaves?  
Do you pass as white or colored in the community in  
which you live?

Give me your opinion on the above and let me know your right to work in the field.

It really really will be appreciated.

1982, 1983, 1984, 1985,

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N.



RESIDENCE, SUNSHINE HILL

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*N/S* C. G. SAMUEL

FARMER AND REAL ESTATE BROKER

OFFICE AT RESIDENCE

SEVERAL THOUSAND ACRES IN SMALL FARMS  
AND MINERAL LANDS

*No 40911*  
*App*

CALHOUN, TENN.

*June 8<sup>th</sup>* 1908

Quinn Miller. Special Commissioner  
Washington City, D.C.

Your favor June 4<sup>th</sup> to June 1<sup>st</sup> May  
did not ask. Why neither do nor  
her parents or grand parents nor  
I did in answer. Submit the fol-  
lowing facts. My grandfather was a  
half breed Indian. But my grand  
mother was a slave. My father was  
a quadroon but a slave also.  
All of my ancestors were slaves but  
but the females cohabited with the  
Indians as man and wife when  
their owners did not object. The  
Indians who cohabited with my  
ancestors as I learned from the old  
ones refused to go west to the  
Indian Territory. hid themselves

RESIDENCE, SUNSHINE HILL

1-4 MILE NORTHWEST P. O.

**C. G. SAMUEL**  
FARMER AND REAL ESTATE BROKER  
OFFICE AT RESIDENCE  
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AND MINERAL LANDS

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in the Appalachian Mountains  
and there lived and died. I am  
unable to answer the question as  
to whether my ancestors were parties  
to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846.  
I claim my Indian blood through  
my father who was part Indian  
and who resided in Monroe  
& Madison Counties from 1835 to 1837  
He was a slave. Because his mother  
was a slave. An old negro at Athens  
Georgia near 90 years old and who  
has just died, said that my father  
and his wife were both part Indian  
and my grandfather and his wife  
were both part Indians. I have  
been known in the community as a colored woman  
part Indian. Every body says

RESIDENCE, SUNSHINE HILL

1-4 MILE NORTHWEST P. O.

C. G. SAMUEL  
FARMER AND REAL ESTATE BROKER  
OFFICE AT RESIDENCE  
SEVERAL THOUSAND ACRES IN SMALL FARMS  
AND MINERAL LANDS

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CALHOUN, TENN.,

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I am part Indian from my  
black. coarse hair, my high  
cheek bones, thin lips and copper  
or ginger cake color. I have been  
told for years if I would go to  
the Indian Territory I could draw  
lands, but my husband being  
a colored man, and poor, could  
never get up enough money to  
make the trip. My agent and attorney  
Mr. C. G. Samuel, who use to own  
or hire my husband's father, and  
with whom my husband & I are now  
living, has agreed to write a statement  
to accompany this letter.

Yrs. Truly

C. G. Samuel for  
myself

EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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G. W. Higgs & Son,  
SOLE MANUFACTURERS OF  
SYRUP of ARON'S COIL.

Galhoun, Tenn., Nov 11 1908

Mr. Guion Miller.  
Dear Sir

Jane Mayfield of Calho-  
un Tenn. has lost her  
Card. She wants to know what  
has become of her Claim  
her claim was filed just 3 or  
4 days before the time  
expired. and so you will  
find her claim recorded amo-  
ng the last applications that  
went in.

Please address Jane Mayfie-  
ld. Calhoun Tenn.

P. O. Box 46.

Yours Truly

Ginnil Mayfield.

Ginnel Mayfield a  
Cherokee Indian &  
Claim.

No. 40912 Action: Arrested  
Name David Smith and 1 children. Residence: Greenville, Tenn  
Reasons:

Stepbro of 9976, same the same source.

No. 40912

Name David Sevier

With No. 29970

Remarks:



40912

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

David Senior

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: David Serier

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Greenville,

3. County: Greene

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? Forty one Born Feb. 6, 1866

6. Where were you born? Greenville, Tennessee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mollie Serier, 39 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.              | BORN.           |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | <u>Aviline Serier</u> | <u>Nine years</u> | <u>9/8/1898</u> |
| (2) | _____                 | _____             | _____           |
| (3) | _____                 | _____             | _____           |
| (4) | _____                 | _____             | _____           |
| (5) | _____                 | _____             | _____           |
| (6) | _____                 | _____             | _____           |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Aza Serier

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Canzada Serier

Indian name: Do not know her Indian name

Maiden name: Canzada Harrier

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Greene County, Tennessee

Mother: In Greene County, Tennessee 10/6/1841.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Greene County, Tennessee  
Mother: In Greene County, Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living.  
Mother: June 16, 1880

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME  | BORN.                | DIED. |
|-----|---|----------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Sam Sevier</u><br><u>Macon, Georgia</u>            | <u>Nov. 8, 1870</u>  |       |
| (2) | <u>Alice Sevier</u><br><u>Indian Springs, Georgia</u> | <u>July 22, 1865</u> |       |
| (3) |   |                      |       |
| (4) |   |                      |       |
| (5) |   |                      |       |
| (6) |   |                      |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                   | MOTHER'S SIDE.                 |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <u>Nathaniel Sevier (Seneca)</u> | <u>John Harris</u>             |
|                                  | <u>Sylvania Harris</u>         |
|                                  | <u>(maiden name - Manuel.)</u> |

18. Where were they born? I think Sylvania was born in the Cherokee nation - North Carolina. She was a Cherokee.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Greene County, Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                       |                             |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Leana Harris</u>   | <u>(died)</u>               |
| (2) | <u>Fering Harris</u>  | <u>Knobville, Tennessee</u> |
| (3) | <u>Jane Harris</u>    | <u>(died)</u>               |
| (4) | <u>Belknap Harris</u> | <u>Knobville, Tennessee</u> |
| (5) | <u>Frank Davis</u>    | <u>Greenville, Tenn.</u>    |
| (6) |                       |                             |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Leangada Serier, Maternal Grandmother Sylramia Harrie, and her maiden name was Sylramia Manuel.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My claim is based on the fact that my maternal grandmother Sylramia Harrie, (maiden name Manuel) was a member of the Cherokee tribe, I am temporarily residing at Johnson City, Tennessee.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) David Serier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug 1907.

S. E. Llewellyn

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 16th, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. J. Harshbarger

and

E. Neal

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with David Serier

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person that represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Harshbarger  
E. Neal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July 15th, 1907.

S. E. Llewellyn

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 40913

Action: Rejected.

Name Frank E. C. Martin and 1 children. Residence: Huntsville, Mo.

Reasons:

~~See~~ Son of # 31279 a 2 claim. Also same name.

No. 40913

Name Frank E. Co Martin

With No. 31279

Remarks:

40913

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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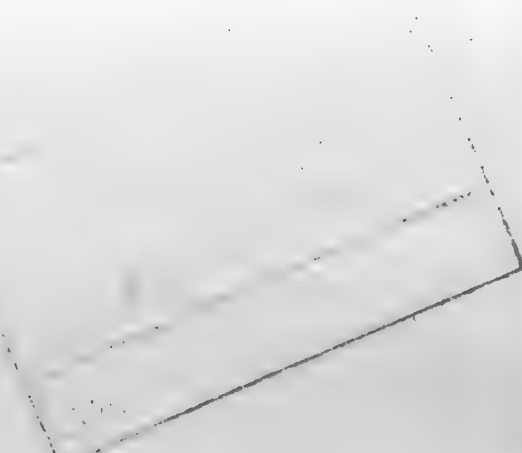
APPLICATION

OF

*Frank E. C. Martin*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



2007

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Frank Edward Cornell Martin

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Huntsville

3. County: Randolph

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 29 years Born Dec 15th 1878

6. Where were you born? Cass County, Missouri

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lottie May (Reid) Cornell

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.           | BORN.                |
|-----|-------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Charles Anderson</u> | <u>3 years</u> | <u>Sept 6th 1904</u> |
| (2) | _____                   | _____          | _____                |
| (3) | _____                   | _____          | _____                |
| (4) | _____                   | _____          | _____                |
| (5) | _____                   | _____          | _____                |
| (6) | _____                   | _____          | _____                |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Anderson Cornell Martin

Indian name: 1

Mother—English name: Caroline Neal Cornell Martin

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Caroline Neal

12. Where were they born?

Father: East Tennessee

Mother: Clinton County, Kentucky



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Kentucky

Mother: Kentucky

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: } both living

Mother: } both living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                       | BORN.                  | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------|------------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>George Taylor Martin</u> | <u>Jan'y 21 / 1869</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Polly Jane</u>           | <u>Oct 13 / 1870</u>   |       |
| (3) | <u>Surenia Elizabeth</u>    | <u>May 18 / 1872</u>   |       |
|     | <u>John Richard</u>         | <u>Mar 10. / 1875</u>  |       |
| (4) | <u>Frances Manierie</u>     | <u>Jan'y 30 / 1880</u> |       |
|     | <u>Oscar Wilson</u>         | <u>Sept 23 / 1882</u>  |       |
| (5) | <u>Lena Berry</u>           | <u>Oct 23 / 1884</u>   |       |
|     | <u>Ella Bernette</u>        | <u>May 29 / 1887</u>   |       |
| (6) |                             |                        |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                  | MOTHER'S SIDE.                    |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <u>Arrin Martin</u> { no Indian | <u>Thomas Neel</u> { no Indian    |
| <u>Sarah Cobb</u> { name        | <u>Polly Smith</u> { name         |
|                                 | <u>Polly Smith was free blood</u> |
|                                 | <u>Eastern Cherokee Indian</u>    |

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? - Grand-mother on my mother's side lived in Kentucky in 1851 - other Grandparents all dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                            |  |
|-----|----------------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>M<sup>rs</sup> Neel</u> |  |
| (2) | <u>Parthena Purcell</u>    |  |
| (3) | <u>James Neel</u>          |  |
| (4) | <u>Robert Neel</u>         |  |
|     | <u>Anderson Neel</u>       |  |
| (5) | <u>Pleasant Neel</u>       |  |
|     | <u>Surenia Ballinger</u>   |  |
| (6) | <u>Frances Mason</u>       |  |
|     | <u>Elizabeth Neel</u>      |  |
|     | <u>Taylor Neel</u>         |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I don't know their names

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My mother was free blood Eastern Cherokee - My father English  
We were not taught to speak Indian -

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Frank E. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of August, 1907.

Geo W. Keebaugh  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 31st, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James E. Thomas

and G. W. Rice who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Frank E. Martin who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James E. Thomas  
G. W. Rice

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31, 1908. Geo W. Keebaugh  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40914

Action: Reject

Name Lucinda Adams and X children. Residence: Sunny Brook, Ky.

Reasons:

Cousin of #41771

No. 40914

Name Lucinda Adams

With No. 34331

Remarks:



34331

No. 10011

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Lucindia Adams

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Filed by  
W. H. Johnson  
at  
Blount  
County  
Ga.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lucindia Adams

Indian name: Diolmon

2. Residence and post office: Sunny Brook

3. County: Wayne

4. State: Kentucky

5. How old are you? 78 Born Oct 27- 1829

6. Where were you born? Fentress County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes. (Widow)

8. Name and age of ~~wife or~~ husband: John Adams (deceased)

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                      | AGE.      | BORN.              |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Elizabeth Albertson</u> | <u>56</u> | <u>Nov 23-1850</u> |
| (2) | <u>Chambers Adams</u>      | <u>51</u> | <u>Oct 22-1856</u> |
| (3) |                            |           |                    |
| (4) |                            |           |                    |
| (5) |                            |           |                    |
| (6) |                            |           |                    |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Thomas Diolmon

Indian name: Diolmon

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Diolmon

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Elizabeth Smith

12. Where were they born?

Father: In North Carolina

Mother: In Fentress County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: dead

Mother: Living West Fork of Obispo River Jackson Co Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died about the year 1847-50 1850

Mother: during the war - about February 1864

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                              | BORN.    | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------------------|----------|-------|
| (1) | Nellie Dickman<br>Sunny Brook Ky   |          |       |
| (2) | Bereah Dickman<br>Sunny Brook Ky   |          |       |
| (3) | Richard Dickman<br>Sunny Brook Ky  |          |       |
| (4) | Milnes Dickman<br>Livingstone Tenn |          |       |
| (5) | George Dickman                     | Deceased |       |
| (6) | Mary Jane Stinson                  | Deceased |       |
| (7) | Roma Dickman                       | Deceased |       |
| (8) | John Dickman                       |          |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.    | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------------------|----------------|
| Jefferson Dickman |                |
| Milnes "          |                |
|                   |                |
|                   |                |

18. Where were they born? both in North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? both dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                |  |
|-----|----------------|--|
| (1) | Archie Dickman |  |
| (2) | Milnes "       |  |
| (3) | Elyze "        |  |
| (4) | Moses "        |  |
| (5) | Joseph "       |  |
| (6) | Thomas "       |  |
| (7) | Mary Ramsey    |  |
| (8) | Nellie "       |  |
| (9) | Lina Brown     |  |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: great-grandmother

Niggie Dishmon - grand father Jefferson Dishmon  
who were Eastern Cherokee Indians

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint F. A. Tabor of Albany my true and lawful atty to  
prosecute this claim. And agree to pay him twenty (20) per cent  
of such sum as may be due me by the Hon. Commissioner of  
Indian Affairs as award of claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lucindia Adams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

O. D. Bentham

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb. 16

1908

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. E. Wood

and

A. H. Crocker

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Lucindia Adams

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known Her for 15 years and

35 years, respectively, and know Her to be the identical person She represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by Her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in Her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. E. Wood

A. H. Crocker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Feb. 16

1908

O. D. Bentham

Notary Public.

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No. 409157

Action Repet.

Name Charles Crisp and 2 children.

Residence: Glenaby, Texas.

Reasons: But the # 409311.

No. 40915

Name Charley Crisp

With No. 37090

Remarks:

X

No. 40915

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Charley Crisp

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed by

F. A. Talbot atty  
at law

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Charley Crisp

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Glenora

3. County:

Fentress

4. State:

Tennessee

5. How old are you?

22-

Born

Sept 8th 1884

6. Where were you born?

Fentress County Tennessee

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Betty Brannon

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong?

None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.  | BORN.       |
|-----|----------------------|-------|-------------|
| (1) | Edmon McKinley Crisp | 3 yrs | Aug 25-1904 |
| (2) | Louise Crisp         | 1 "   | Apr 30-1906 |
| (3) |                      |       |             |
| (4) |                      |       |             |
| (5) |                      |       |             |
| (6) |                      |       |             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

George H. Crisp

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Elizabeth Crisp

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Elizabeth Jarrett

12. Where were they born?

Father:

In Monroe County Ark

Mother:

In Boone County W. Va



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Elliot County Ky

Mother: not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb 19<sup>th</sup> 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe Indians: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                               | BORN.               | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| (1) | John E. Crisp<br>Helena Tenn       | November the 4-1843 |       |
| (2) | Marion Crisp<br>Glen obay Tenn     | Feb the 11-1848     |       |
| (3) | William Crisp<br>Helena Tenn       | May the 14-1852     |       |
| (4) | Catherine Alfred<br>Glen obay Tenn | July 10-1850        |       |
| (5) | Martha J. York<br>Glen obay Tenn   | Feb the 12-1856     |       |
| (6) |                                    |                     |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Carriel Crisp  
Elizabeth Crisp

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                    |               |
|-----|--------------------|---------------|
| (1) | William Crisp      | Diseased      |
| (2) | Joel Crisp         | "             |
| (3) | Jack Crisp         | "             |
| (4) | W. B. Crisp        | "             |
| (5) | Fane Whit          | "             |
| (6) | George W. Crisp    | "             |
| 7   | Silvester D. Crisp | Sandy Hook Ky |
| 8   | Paraneis M. Crisp  | " " "         |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint Francis A. Tabor of Albany N.Y. my true and lawful Attorney to prosecute this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Charley Crisp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of aug, 1907.

M. F. Buets  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Fleming Baker  
and Savage Albeck, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charley Crisp  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 years and 18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Fleming Baker  
Savage Albeck

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

M. F. Buets  
Notary Public.

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No. 40916

Name John Jones

Action: Ref. ed.

Reasons:

and 2 children.

Residence: Little Rock, Tenn.

Brother of husband of #40916<sup>707</sup> and claims two same  
same

40916

No. 40916

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John James*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Filed by*

*John James*

*attorney*

*Roanoke*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

John James

Indian name:

Brown

2. Residence and post office:

Little Crab

3. County:

Fentress Co

4. State:

Tennessee

5. How old are you?

51

Born

Feb 19 1856

6. Where were you born?

Polk County Tenn

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Nancy

52 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.          | AGE.   | BORN. |
|-----|----------------|--------|-------|
| (1) | Wm D.          | Age 13 | 1881  |
| (2) | Allen S        |        | Dec   |
| (3) | Tilda B. Beaty | 1883   |       |
| (4) | Lelah S. Smith | 1886   |       |
| (5) | Mary           | 1888   |       |
| (6) | Ellie M        | 1890   |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Rains, John or John Rains

Indian name:

Subsided

Mother—English name:

Polly or Mary

Indian name:

Brown

Maiden name:

Brown

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Tennessee

Mother:

Fentress Co. Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Henderson County - Tenn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1890

Mother: in 1890

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                               | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | David King                          | d     | Dec   |
| (2) | Alvin Jackson                       |       | Dec   |
| (3) | Fred Rogers                         |       | Dec   |
| (4) | Willie Rogers                       |       |       |
| (5) | Mamie Owens<br>Glenham Tenn         |       |       |
| (6) | Harmon Stephens<br>Little Rock Tenn |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Wiley Owens  
Tricia

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |            |            |
|-----|------------|------------|
| (1) | John       | Alt - Tenn |
| (2) | Jess       | Dec        |
| (3) | Luke       | Dec        |
| (4) | Mary Hicky | "          |
| (5) | Shade      | "          |
| (6) |            |            |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grandfather Wiley Lewis of Cherokee descent

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I Appear - F. A. Taber, of Albany, N. Y. Attorney and Lawful Attorney to Probate this Claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) John Jaymes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910, 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. L. Reagan

and R. S. Stevens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with John Jaymes

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for years and

years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. L. Reagan

R. S. Stevens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910, 190

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF  
EASTERN  
RECEIVED JUL 20 1966  
40916

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This July the 16th 1908. Fentress Co. Tenn.  
Dear Sirs The inclosed affidavits of —  
John Downs and John Gentry is to be  
used as additional evidence in the claims  
of John James No 40916. and Mrs —  
Ann King No. 40709. and Mrs. Hannah —  
Stephens. No 40928 all of Little Craft —  
Fentress Co. Tenn.

John James

COUNT OF CLERKS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
No. JUL 20 1908  
No.

State of Tenn  
Fentress County ( This day personally came  
before me the Undesignated authority.  
John Gentry and makes oath in due  
form of Law. and State as follows.  
ss. I was well acquainted with one  
Wily. Downs in my boy days in about  
the year ~~1840~~ 1846 and some years—  
later. the first Cherokee indians I ever  
saw. come to my Fathers house in company  
with said Wily Downs. and staid some  
day and night. and at other times he  
Downs was with <sup>the</sup> Indians. and claimed  
to be part Indian say one half. perhaps.  
my age is 68 years. my po. address is  
gamestown Tenn

John Gentry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day  
of July 1908

Stephen Lake  
Notary Public

COUNT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JUL 20 1908  
No.



State of Tenn.  
Fentress County: This day personally appeared —  
before me the Under signed authority —  
one John Dawns who States Upon his oath  
~~of~~ as follows. My age is 48 years. I, am  
the son of one Wiley Dawns who moved  
from the State North Carolina to the State of  
Tenn. and above named County in April in  
the year. 1830. and was frequently in company  
with ~~them~~ and ~~claimed~~ the Cherokee Indians  
and always claimed to be one half-  
Cherokee Indian and always taught me  
that I was part Indian. my po address  
is Allardt Tenn. John Daws

Sworn to and subscribed before me this  
16<sup>th</sup> day of July 1908

Stephen Lake  
Notary Public

No. 40917

Action: *Reject*

Name *John A. Reagan* and *5* children. Residence: *Spencer, Penn.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #38843, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

40917

No. 40917-20.

Name

With No. 38843

Remarks:

Geo. A. Ryan  
J. G.

Isaac J.

Andrew J.

No. 10917

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John A. Reagan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Filed by  
J. A. [unclear]  
Albany*

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John A. Reagan

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Spurrier

3. County: Pickett

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 37 Born April 16th 1870

6. Where were you born? Fentress county Tenn.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rosita Reagan 35 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME                     | AGE.      | BORN.                 |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>James L. Reagan</u>   | <u>17</u> | <u>Jan. 27th 1890</u> |
| (2) | <u>Lora E. Reagan</u>    | <u>12</u> | <u>April 1895</u>     |
| (3) | <u>Artha P. Reagan</u>   | <u>7</u>  | <u>Sept 1900</u>      |
| (4) | <u>Shirley E. Reagan</u> | <u>5</u>  | <u>Oct 1902</u>       |
| (5) | <u>William R. Reagan</u> | <u>2</u>  | <u>July 3rd 1905</u>  |
| (6) | _____                    | _____     | _____                 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Joel L. Reagan

Indian name: Firley

Mother—English name: Catherine Reagan

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Beatty

12. Where were they born?

Father: Fentress county Tenn.

Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress county Tenn.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " " " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.   | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Isaac J. Reagan</u><br><u>Little Crab Tenn.</u>  |       |       |
| (2) | <u>George H. Reagan</u><br><u>Little Crab Tenn.</u> |       |       |
| (3) | <u>William L. Reagan</u><br><u>Hellens Tenn.</u>    |       |       |
| (4) | <u>Susanah Bevyhouse</u><br><u>Jamestown Tenn.</u>  |       |       |
| (5) | <u>Joel H. Reagan</u><br><u>Little Crab Tenn.</u>   |       |       |
| (6) | <u>James B. Reagan</u><br><u>Little Crab Tenn.</u>  |       |       |
|     | <u>Nancy J. Reagan</u><br><u>Madisonville Tenn.</u> |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Reagan.

Nancy Reagan.

Indian name

Nancy Finley.

18. Where were they born? East Tennessee.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fentress county Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                          |                          |
|-----|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Thomas J. Reagan</u>  | <u>dec.</u>              |
| (2) | <u>Elizabeth Bonater</u> | <u>Little Crab Tenn.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Susanah Bales</u>     | <u>Wilder Tenn.</u>      |
| (4) | <u>Rebeck Spencer</u>    | <u>dec.</u>              |
| (5) | <u>Margaret Hood</u>     | <u>Wilder Tenn.</u>      |
| (6) | <u>Andrew J. Reagan</u>  | <u>Little Crab Tenn.</u> |
|     | <u>Martha Bolls</u>      | <u>dec.</u>              |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents Jack J. Reagan & Katharine Reagan. Grand Parents John Reagan & Nancy Reagan. Great Grand Parents James Finley & Betty Finley.

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint John A. Reagan of Albany Ky. my true and lawful attorney to prosecute this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John A. Reagan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Aug, 1907.

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1910

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. O. Bowden

and Jim Hinds, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with John A. Reagan

who makes the foregoing application and statements; and have known him for 20 years and

25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. O. Bowden

Jim Hinds

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1910

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M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

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No. 40918  
Name Joel G. Reagan and children. Residence: Little Crab, Tenn.  
Action: Reject  
Reasons:

Cousin of #38843, and claims through  
the same ancestor -

40918



No. 40918

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Joel G. Reagan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Filed for  
Joel G. Reagan  
attorney*

*for*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jacob L. Rangan Reagen

Indian name: Finley

2. Residence and post office: Little Creek Tenn

3. County: Kentless

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 21

Born

Sept 21 1881

6. Where were you born? Kentless County Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rhoda 23 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jacob L. Rangan

Indian name: Finley

Mother—English name: Constance

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Becky

12. Where were they born?

Father: Kentless County Tenn

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Henriess County - Tennes  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                              | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Isaac T.<br>Little Crab Tenn       |       |       |
| (2) | John A.<br>Shavira Tenn            |       |       |
| (3) | George H.<br>Little Crab Tenn      |       |       |
| (4) | Wm L.<br>Melona Tenn               |       |       |
| (5) | Susan Perakunde<br>James Tenn Tenn |       |       |
| (6) | James B.<br>Little Crab            |       |       |

*James & Susan  
already sold Tenn*

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| John Reagen    |                |
| Mary "         |                |

18. Where were they born? East Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Henriess County - Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                    |                  |
|-----|--------------------|------------------|
| (1) | Elizabeth Conacher | Little Crab Tenn |
| (2) | Susan Bales        | Wilden Tenn      |
| (3) | Rebecca Spencer    | Dec              |
| (4) | Mary J. Hard       | Wilden Tenn      |
| (5) |                    |                  |
| (6) |                    |                  |

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14. Date

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16. Name

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18. When

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(1)

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(4)

Jane Lanning  
Brooklyn Tenn

12

12



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Yasta grand father  
James Finley 1/2 Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I Appeared - F. A. Taber of Albany by my  
Attorney & Lawfull attorney to prosecute  
this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Joel G. Reagan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and \_\_\_\_\_ who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Joel G. Reagan  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190

Notary Public.

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Eastern  
Cherokee  
enrollment  
Proof of  
Ancestry  
James G. Gentry  
William G. Gentry

4000  
Filed by  
J. A. Gentry  
Gentry  
H.

DEC 1 1907  
write for name of  
claimants, etc.  
ne.

State of Tennessee } S.S.  
County of Henderson }

In the Matter of the Enrollment  
of the Eastern Cherokees for  
Shares arising from the Decree  
of the U.S. Court of Claims of  
May 18<sup>th</sup> 1903 and May 28<sup>th</sup> 1906  
Etc and to Identify the Descend-  
ants of James Tindley Etc personally  
came this before me the  
under signed Authority within  
and for the County and State  
above said <sup>Wm</sup> Tindley age 82  
Resident of Post Office Helena  
Henderson County Tenn I was  
well acquainted with James  
Tindley I knew him from  
Middle Age he was a small  
Boney Man Black Eyed Black  
hair his Complexion was dark of  
a Coppery Collar from his general  
appearance I believe him to be  
a Cherokee Indian he loved to  
hunt - kept a good gun and dogs  
his Children loved and raised  
him in this County and never  
affiliated with other than the  
Cherokees in this Country  
affiant further further sworn



That the Fendles was of Cherokee  
Indians descent and that  
he has no interest in this matter  
nor its Probation

attest - 1 M. F. Buck      M. F. Buck  
2 J. A. Reagon      M. F. Buck

Sworn to and subscribed  
before me on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of  
Aug<sup>r</sup> 1907 by M. F. Buck  
I Certify that he dictated  
the foregoing to Francis A.  
Tabor in my presence who  
Reduced same to writing  
and the contents are well  
known by him and that he  
is well known to me to be  
Respectable and fully entitled  
to Credit - I am not concerned  
in the prosecution of these  
Claims

M. F. Buck, Notary Public



Wm. L. Liden within report to should  
be filed with the application  
of Jacob B. Ragoun no 40918 of  
Little Rock, Ark.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. NOV 11 1907

No. 40918

L.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

October 25, 1907.

Francis A. Tabor,  
Albany,  
Kentucky.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of an affidavit of William Tipton  
relative to the descendants of James Finley,

I presume you have filed some claims on behalf of  
these descendants. If so, please give the name of some one  
of such claimants so that the affidavit may be filed in his  
case.

Very respectfully,

*Guinn Miller,*

Special Commissioner.

GM:NLC.

Respectfully returned with the  
advise that the affidavit of  
Wm Tipton within refers to should  
be filed with the application  
of Jacob B. Ragon no 40918 of  
Little Creek Twp.

|                                       |             |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |             |
| Rec.                                  | NOV 11 1907 |
| No.                                   | 100115      |

No. 40919

Action: *Reject*

Name *Isaac P. Reagan* and *6* children. Residence: *Little Crab, Penn.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 38843, and claims through the same ancestors.*



No. 10310

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Isaac J. Reagan.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

H. A. Jaborr  
at large.

Handwritten signature

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Isaac J. Reagan

Indian name:

Finsley

2. Residence and post office:

Little Crab

3. County:

Fort Cobb

4. State:

Oklahoma

5. How old are you?

39

Born

Sept 1-30 1867

6. Where were you born?

Fort Cobb County Texas

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Mary S. 35 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.     | AGE.        | BORN. |
|-----|-----------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | Alfaha. M | Mar 28 1892 |       |
| (2) | Okely. L. | " 13 1894   |       |
| (3) | Racina. A | Mar 10 1896 |       |
| (4) | John B.   | May 18 1898 |       |
| (5) | Archie. V | May 1 1904  |       |
| (6) | Ug. M     | Jan 31 1906 |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Isaac J. Reagan

Indian name:

Finsley

Mother—English name:

Catharine

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Becky

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Fort Cobb County Texas

Mother:

"

"

"

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress family Terson

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible: //

|     | NAME                         | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | John A. Spurrier Terson      |       |       |
| (2) | George H. Little Crab Terson |       |       |
| (3) | William L. Terson            |       |       |
| (4) | Andrew Pevakowski            |       |       |
| (5) | James Henry Terson           |       |       |
| (6) | John B. Little Crab Terson   |       |       |

*James Henry Terson*

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| John Reagan    |                |
| Nancy "        |                |

18. Where were they born? East-Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fentress Co Terson

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                    |                    |
|-----|--------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Thos J. Terson     | West               |
| (2) | Edith Ruth Kmatich | Little Crab Terson |
| (3) | Andrew B. Terson   | Wilder Terson      |
| (4) | Rebecca Spencer    | Wilder Terson      |
| (5) | Mary J. Terson     | Wilder Terson      |
| (6) | Andrew J. Terson   | Little Crab Terson |

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: great grand father  
James Finley Jr Cherokee

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I appeared at a Town of Albany for  
my new and former attorney  
to prosecute this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Isaac J Reagan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of aug. 1907.

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910, 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. O. Bowden  
and Sim Hinds, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Isaac J Reagan  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. O. Bowden

Sim Hinds

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910, 190

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40920

Name Andrew J. Reagan and 4 children.

Action: Reject

Reasons:

Residence: Little Crab, Penn.

Uncle of #38843, and claims through the same ancestor.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Andrew J. Reagan.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Filed by  
H. D. Talbot  
alliang.  
H. D.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Andrew J. Reagan*

Indian name:

*Finley*

2. Residence and post office:

*Little Crab*

3. County:

*Perdrew*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*46*

Born

*Oct 8 1853*

6. Where were you born?

*Perdrews County Tenn*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Elsabeth*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*None*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.               | BORN. |
|-----|------------------------|--------------------|-------|
| (1) | <i>Salomon</i>         | <i>Aug 29 1880</i> |       |
| (2) | <i>Nancy J. Reagan</i> | <i>Jan 12 1883</i> |       |
| (3) | <i>Min</i>             | <i>May 3 1885</i>  |       |
| (4) | <i>Franklin</i>        | <i>Jan 28 1887</i> |       |
| (5) |                        |                    |       |
| (6) |                        |                    |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*John Reagan*

Indian name:

*Finley*

Mother—English name:

*Nancy*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Finley*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*East Tenn*

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress County Tenn

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1880

Mother: " 1882

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME               | BORN        | DIED |
|-----|--------------------|-------------|------|
| (1) | Thos. J. Fentress  | Sept 7 1847 | Dec  |
|     | Elisha H. Fentress |             | Dec  |
| (2) | Susan Bates        | Mar 3 1838  |      |
|     | Wilder Fentress    |             |      |
| (3) | Rebecca Spencer    | Oct 6 / 39  | Dec  |
| (4) | Mary J. Fentress   | May 1 1850  |      |
|     | Wilder Fentress    |             |      |
| (5) |                    |             |      |
| (6) |                    |             |      |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Fentress  
Betty

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Fentress Co Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |               |     |
|-----|---------------|-----|
| (1) | William       | Dec |
| (2) | Sally Brannon | "   |
| (3) | Susan Brannon | "   |
| (4) | Sally Wright  | "   |
| (5) | James         | "   |
| (6) |               | "   |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appointed J. A. Labors of Albany N.Y.  
my friend & lawyer attorney to  
procure this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Andrew J. Reagon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of aug, 1907.

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910., 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John A. Reagon  
and Simon Hinels, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Andrew J. Reagon  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John A. Reagon  
Simon Hinels

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910., 190

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40921

Action: Reject

Name Elizabeth Albertson and 5 children. Residence: Quay Brook, Va.

Reasons: Consolidated 174511.

40921

No. 40921.

Name Elizabeth Albrecht

With No. 34331

Remarks:



*Cause of 34331.*

No. 10021

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Elizabeth Albertson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*For Sale only*

*Address*

*H. J.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Elizabeth Albertson*

Indian name:

*Dishmon*

2. Residence and post office:

*Sunny Brook Ky*

3. County:

*Wayne*

4. State:

*Kentucky*

5. How old are you?

*56*

Born

*Nov 23- 1851*

6. Where were you born?

*Morgan County Tennessee*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Nickless Albertson*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*none*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.            | BORN.          |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| (1) | <i>Mary Albertson</i>   | <i>39</i>       |                |
| (2) | <i>Martha "</i>         | <i>37</i>       |                |
| (3) | <i>Leander " Embury</i> | <i>35</i>       | <i>blinded</i> |
| (4) | <i>Ermine Stinson</i>   | <i>deceased</i> |                |
| (5) | <i>John Albertson</i>   | <i>30</i>       |                |
| (6) | <i>James "</i>          | <i>27</i>       |                |

*all living for claim by me*

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*John Adams*

Indian name:

*none*

Mother—English name:

*Lucinda Adams*

Indian name:

*Dishmon*

Maiden name:

*Lucinda Dishmon*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*in Tennessee*

Mother:

*Sevier County Tenn*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Morgan County Tennessee

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: dead 1896 or 1877

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                  | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Samuel Adams</u>   |       |       |
|     | <u>Sunny Brook Ky</u> |       |       |
| (2) |                       |       |       |
| (3) |                       |       |       |
| (4) |                       |       |       |
| (5) |                       |       |       |
| (6) |                       |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thomas Dishmon  
Elizabeth Dishmon

18. Where were they born? Grand father in North Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand father dead  
Grand mother living on West Fork of the River in the State of Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                        |                        |
|-----|------------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Nellie Dishmon</u>  | <u>Sunny Brook Ky</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Samuel</u>          | <u>"</u>               |
| (3) | <u>Richard</u>         | <u>"</u>               |
| (4) | <u>Miles</u>           | <u>Livingston Tenn</u> |
| (5) | <u>George</u>          | <u>do</u>              |
| (6) | <u>Mary J. Stinson</u> | <u>"</u>               |
|     | <u>John Dishmon</u>    | <u>"</u>               |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Kizzie Dickerson my

great - great-grand mother. Jefferson Dickerson  
great - grand father. who claimed to be Eastern Cherokee  
Indians

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint J. H. Taber of Albany, N. Y. my true and lawful atty to prosecute  
the claim. and I agree to pay said atty. twenty (20) per cent of such  
sum as may be due me by Hon Lewis Miller Special  
Commissioner U S Court of Claims.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Elisabeth Albertson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

O. D. Bentzen

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb. 16

, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. E. Wood

and

A. H. Crouch

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Elisabeth Albertson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known Her for 15 years and

20

years, respectively, and know Her to be the identical person She represents

Herself to be, and that the statements made by Her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in Her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. E. Wood

A. H. Crouch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Feb. 16

, 1908.

O. D. Bentzen

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Name *Nancy J. Lowery* and *6* children. No. *40922* Action: *Reject*  
Residence: *Moodyville, Penn.*  
Reasons: *Cousin of #38843, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 40972.

Name Nancy J. Tourry

With No. 38843.

Remarks:

38843

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Harvey J. Lowery.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*[Faint handwritten notes and signatures]*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nancy J. Lowery.

Indian name: Finley.

2. Residence and post office: Moodyville.

3. County: Fentress, Picknett

4. State: Tennessee.

5. How old are you? 42. Born Dec. 1866

6. Where were you born? Fentress county Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. C. Lowery. 47. yr.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.       | BORN.                 |
|-----|--------------------------|------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Jonah L. Lowery.</u>  | <u>18.</u> | <u>March 29, 1889</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mary L. Duncan.</u>   | <u>21.</u> | <u>Aug 28, 1886</u>   |
| (3) | <u>Jennie P. Lowery.</u> | <u>15.</u> | <u>Oct 23, 1891</u>   |
| (4) | <u>Walter L. Lowery.</u> | <u>13</u>  | <u>Jan. 29, 1894.</u> |
| (5) | <u>Jail O. Lowery</u>    | <u>10</u>  | <u>Jan. 10, 1897.</u> |
| (6) | <u>Martha E. Lowery.</u> | <u>8.</u>  | <u>Oct 21, 1899</u>   |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jail L. Reagan.

Indian name: Finley.

Mother—English name: Maryann Scott.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Scott.

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Fentress county Tenn.

Mother: Sevier county Tenn.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Tennessee

Mother: in Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: in Tennessee

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME               | BORN.          | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|----------------|-------|
| (1) | Isaac T. Reagan    | Sept 30. 1867. |       |
|     | Little Creek Tenn. |                |       |
| (2) | John A. Reagan     | April 16 1870. |       |
|     | Sevier Tenn.       |                |       |
| (3) | George H. Reagan   | May 18. 1873.  |       |
|     | Little Creek Tenn. |                |       |
| (4) | William L. Reagan  | Dec. 19. 1875  |       |
|     | Hullena Tenn.      |                |       |
| (5) | Susan B. Reagan    | Nov 10. 1878   |       |
|     | Mountain Tenn.     |                |       |
| (6) | Julia Reagan       | Sept 2. 1881   |       |
|     | Little Creek Tenn. |                |       |

Armed B. Reagan.  
Died May 22. 1884.  
Little Creek Tenn.

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Reagan  
Nancy  
Indian name.  
Macy Timley.

18. Where were they born? Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Tennessee  
Levin County Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                    |                    |
|-----|--------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Thomas J. Reagan   | N.C.               |
| (2) | Elizabeth Coratser | ..                 |
| (3) | Susanah Bales      | Wilder Tenn.       |
| (4) | Rebecca Spence     | N.C.               |
| (5) | Julia L. Reagan    | Little Creek Tenn. |
| (6) | Andrew J. Reagan   | ..                 |
| 7   | Martha Bales       | N.C.               |
| 8   | Margaret J. Hood   | Wilder Tenn.       |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents: Paul L. Bagan & Maryam Seath. Grand parents: John Bagan & Nancy Bagan. Great grand parents: James Finley & Betsy Finley.

#### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint H. A. Tabor, of Albany N.Y. my true and lawful atty. to prosecute this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nancy J. Lowery

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910., 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James Sewell.

and J. M. Hinde, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Nancy J. Lowery.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James Sewell  
J. M. Hinde

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910., 190

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40923  
Name: Sarah E. Crisp, for minor children of G. W. Crisp  
Action: Repect.  
Residence: Helena, Mont.  
Reasons: Sister and brother of; # 40934.

No. 40923-5.

Name.....

With No. 37090.

Remarks:

Sarah E. Crisp  
Martha J. York  
Catherine Allred



No. 40923

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah & Lewis

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed By  
H. A. Taylor  
Albany  
NY

8-20-17

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Sarah C. Kinsp. for minor children

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Alexandria

3. County:

Farmington

4. State:

Illinois

5. How old are you?

51

Born

April 26, 1856.

6. Where were you born?

Brown County, Va.

7. Are you married?

yes, widowed

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

George H. Kinsp.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.              | AGE.             | BORN.           |
|-----|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | John C. Kinsp.     | Minor            |                 |
| (2) | Charles Kinsp.     | Alfred M. Kinsp. | Oct 17, 1892.   |
| (3) | Marion Kinsp.      | Lucy E. ...      | July 13, 1896.  |
| (4) | William ...        | Lora H. ...      | April 16, 1898. |
| (5) | Catherine A. Wood. |                  |                 |
| (6) | Martha ...         |                  |                 |
|     | Margaret A. ...    |                  |                 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

David H. Sargent

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Hannah C. Sargent

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Hunter.

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Ill Ky.

Mother:

Marion County, Va.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Don't know where.

Mother: in Va

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: About 1890.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

not to my knowledge.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) |       |       |       |
| (2) |       |       |       |
| (3) |       |       |       |
| (4) |       |       |       |
| (5) |       |       |       |
| (6) |       |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? Don't know.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Va.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                          |                        |
|-----|--------------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Charles Hunter</u>    | <u>Prestonburg Ky.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Marion Snow</u>       | <u>Kc.</u>             |
| (3) | <u>William H. Hunter</u> | <u>Ashland Ky.</u>     |
| (4) |                          |                        |
| (5) |                          |                        |
| (6) |                          |                        |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint F. A. Labor of Albany Ky. my true and lawful atty to prosecute this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sarah E. Crisp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of Aug. 1907.

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 18/0, 190 .

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me William Tipton

and Mary J. Tipton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah E. Crisp

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William Tipton

Mary J. Tipton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan: 18/0, 190 M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 40924  
Name Martha J. York, and 2 children. Residence: Glenaby, Tenn.  
Reasons: Sister of - #40934

40924

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Martha J. York

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed by  
H. A. Yabon  
Attorney  
H. J.

100021

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Martha J.  
English name: Martha York  
Indian name: Enish  
2. Residence and post office: Glen Stuy.  
3. County: Franklin Co.  
4. State: Tennessee  
5. How old are you? 20 Born Feb 18 1887  
6. Where were you born? Franklin Co. Tenn.  
7. Are you married? yes  
8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: Balcom York, 34 years  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he ~~or she~~ belong? none  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.     | BORN.               |
|-----|-----------------------|----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Minnie M. York</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>May 21, 1904</u> |
| (2) | <u>John H. York</u>   |          |                     |
| (3) |                       |          |                     |
| (4) |                       |          |                     |
| (5) |                       |          |                     |
| (6) |                       |          |                     |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: George M. Miller  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Eliza Sarah E. Enish  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Miss Sargent.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Monroe, County Ark.  
Mother: Brown, Va.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Franklin County Tenn in Ellet County Ky

Mother: Not Born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living died March 28 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME              | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | John E. Crisp     |       |       |
|     | Helen Crisp       |       |       |
| (2) | Mary              |       |       |
|     | Glenora Crisp     |       |       |
| (3) | William           |       |       |
|     | Helen Crisp       |       |       |
| (4) | Catherine, Alfred |       |       |
|     | Glenora Crisp     |       |       |
| (5) | Charley Crisp     |       |       |
|     | Glenora Crisp     |       |       |
| (6) | Margaret York     |       |       |
|     | Glenora Crisp     |       |       |

Alfred Crisp  
Helen Crisp  
Mary Crisp  
Helen Crisp  
Helen Crisp  
Helen Crisp  
George Crisp  
Mandy Crisp

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Robert Crisp  
Elizabeth

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? Cherokee County N. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Adrian

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                 |              |
|-----|-----------------|--------------|
| (1) | William Crisp   | Died         |
| (2) | Paul            | "            |
| (3) | John            | "            |
| (4) | John Crisp      | "            |
| (5) | John Crisp      | "            |
| (6) | Sabrina         | "            |
| 7   | Francis M.      | Sandyhook Ky |
| 8   | George W. Crisp | Died         |



He? John in Ellet County Ky

Dec 28 1904

d or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
to my knowledge

and residence if possible:

BORN.

DIED.

Melina Dinn  
Lucy L. Crisp  
Aelina Dinn  
Mora U. Crisp  
Melena Dinn  
George R. Crisp  
Moodyville Tenn

is on both father's and mother's side, if pos-

MOTHER'S SIDE.

County N. C.  
Attorney General  
Admission

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: parents, George W. Crisp, Sarah E. Crisp, grand parents, David Crisp & Elisabeth Crisp, David Crisp is 1/2 blood Cherokee,

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I Appointed - F.A. Salton as Attorney & my friend & Lawfull Attorney to prove & state this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Martha Jane Crisp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

M. F. Buckle  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910, 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Manard Stevens  
and George Stevens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha J. York who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Manard Stevens  
George Stevens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910, 190

M. F. Buckle  
Notary Public.

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No. 40925,

Name Catherine O'Leary, and 5, children.

Action: Refect,

Reasons: Sister of - 40934,

Residence: Glenahy Town,

40925

No. 40025

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Catherine Allred*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Filed By*

*J. D. Johnson*

*Attorney*

*[Signature]*

*Settled*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.         | AGE. | BORN.           |
|-----|---------------|------|-----------------|
| (1) | Alford Allred | 11   | March 14 1896   |
| (2) | George        | 9    | May 2, 1898.    |
| (3) | Eva           | 7    | May 10, 1900.   |
| (4) | Henderson     | 4    | March 16, 1903. |
| (5) | Tilford       | 2    | May 18, 1905    |
| (6) |               |      |                 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Elliot County Ky.

Mother: not known

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec. March 29. 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.           | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | J. E. Davis     |       |       |
|     | Helena Tenn     |       |       |
| (2) | Marrion "       |       |       |
|     | Athena Tenn     |       |       |
| (3) | William "       |       |       |
|     | Helena Tenn     |       |       |
| (4) | Martha J. Davis |       |       |
|     | Athena Tenn     |       |       |
| (5) | Chas. Davis     |       |       |
|     | Elm. City Tenn  |       |       |
| (6) | Margaret York   |       |       |
|     | Elm. City Tenn  |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
Carroll Davis  
Elisabeth "

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

18. Where were they born? Athena

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Athena

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                |               |
|-----|----------------|---------------|
| (1) | William        | Dec           |
| (2) | Jill           | "             |
| (3) | Jack           | "             |
| (4) | Al. L.         | "             |
| (5) | Janie Whit.    | "             |
| (6) | George W.      | "             |
|     | 7. Delberta S. | Sandy Hook Ky |
|     | 8. Francis M.  | "             |

What time?

about 12:30

March 29, 1904

es, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
to my knowledge

yes, and residence if possible:

BORN.

DIED.

Alfa M. Crisp  
Helena, Tenn.  
Lucy L. Crisp  
Helena, Tenn.  
Cora S. Crisp  
Helena, Tenn.  
George R. Crisp  
Meadyville Tenn.

parents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

MOTHER'S SIDE.

was

time? date

if possible:

see

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: parents, George W. Crisp & Sarah E. Crisp. grand parents, Carol Crisp & Elizabeth Crisp.  
Carol Crisp is a blood cherokee.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I Appoint F. A. Tabor of Albany N.Y.  
my friend & Landfill atty to prosecute  
this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary Catherine Allred,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

M. F. Buck,  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1910, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Manard Stevens,  
and George Stevens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mary Catherine Allred  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Manard Stevens  
George Stevens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1910, 190

M. F. Buck,  
Notary Public.

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No. 40926

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mary H. Stevens* and *2* children. Residence: *Glenober, Penn.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #38843, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 40926

Name Mary R. Starnes

With No. 38843.

Remarks:

No. 10926

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary A. Stevens*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*F. A. Tabor, Atty  
Albany N.Y.*

6-624

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents

\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

Notary Public.

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Eastern Cherokees  
Application of  
Mary A. Stevens

Filed By

W. J. Brown

Attorney

for

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims  
601 Quay Building Washington D.C.

Sir:-

I hereby make application for such share as  
may be due me of the fund appropriated by  
the act of congress approved June 30, 1906  
in accordance with the decree of the Court  
of Claims of May 8, 1905 and May 28, 1906  
in favor of the Eastern Cherokee.  
The evidence of identity is herewith  
subjoined

1 State full name

English name: Mary A. Stevens

Indian name: Hinder

2 Residence and post office. Glen Hey.

3 County Kentucky.

4 State Tennessee.

5 How old are you? 31 years, June 26, 1876.

6 Where were you born

Franklin county, Tenn.

7 Are you married? Yes.

8 Name and age of nearest husband

Calhoun Stevens 48.

9 To what tribe of Indians are you related?

Cherokee on the <sup>coll.</sup> side.

10 Name all your children who were living

on May 28, 1906 giving their ages

| Name | Age | Born |
|------|-----|------|
|------|-----|------|

|                 |     |               |
|-----------------|-----|---------------|
| Meda C. Stevens | 12. | July 21, 1895 |
|-----------------|-----|---------------|

|         |    |              |
|---------|----|--------------|
| Russell | 5. | Sept 27 1901 |
|---------|----|--------------|

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Give names of your father and mother and  
your mother's name before marriage

Father's English name: Robt F. Baker.  
Indian name

Mother's English name: Martha Baker.  
Indian name: Finley.

Maiden name: Martha Reagan.

12

Where were they born? Father, in  
Iowa. Mother, in

Iowa county Iowa.

13

Where did they reside in 1850 & living at  
that time? Father, in Iowa county, Iowa.  
Mother, in . . . . .

4

Date of death of your father and mother  
Father, living.

Mother, dec. about 1880.

5

Have they enrolled money for duties, taxes and  
other benefits? & so state when and where they  
took of Indian?

Not to my knowledge.

16 Name of your brothers and sisters giving  
age and residence if possible

| Name                 | Born      | Died |
|----------------------|-----------|------|
| 1. Abigail H. Bates  |           | Dec. |
| 2. Sarah, Birmingham | 25. 4. 18 |      |
| 3. William, Jr.      |           |      |
| 4. Sarah H. Bates    | 23.       |      |
| 5. James B. Bates    | 22.       |      |
| 6. William, Jr.      |           |      |

17 Give English names and Indian names of  
grand parents on both fathers and mothers  
side if possible.

Father's Side

Mother's Side

John Keegan

Mary

Indian name: Mary Shirley

18 Where were they born?  
in America.

19 Where did they reside in 1857 of longest  
duration in Kenton county.  
in America.

20 Give names of their children and residence if possible

|                      |             |
|----------------------|-------------|
| 1. Thomas J. Keegan  | Dec.        |
| 2. Elizabeth Corriat |             |
| 3. Susanah Bates     | Wilder, Jr. |
| 4. Rebecca Spencer   | Dec.        |



6 Joel S. Ragon - little sick, & am.  
 7 Andrew J. Ragon. . . . .  
 8 Martha, Bales. Dec. .  
 21 Have you been enrolled for money annuities  
 land or other benefits? If so state when and  
 where and with what tribe of Indians? No:  
 22 To assist in identification, should give the full  
 English and Indian names if possible  
 of their parents and grand parents back to 1835.  
 Parents: Robert F. Bales & Martha Bales. grand parents,  
 John Ragon & Nancy Ragon. & great grand parent,  
 James Hindey & Betsey Hindey.  
 I appoint F. A. Baker of Albany N.Y.  
 my true and lawful agent to prosecute this claim  
 & solemnly swear that the foregoing statement  
 is true & correct to the best of my knowledge  
 and belief. Signed, Mary A. Stearns.  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me Aug 29<sup>th</sup> 1907.  
 My Commission Expires Dec. 7. 1908.

Jan: 1910. Notary Public:  
 Personally appeared before me  
 John C. Hindey and  
 John C. Hindey. who being duly sworn  
 on oath depose and say they are well acquainted  
 with Mary A. Stearns.  
 who makes the foregoing application  
 and statements, and have known her for 10  
 years; and 16 years respectively, and know  
 her to be the identical person she

represents herself to be. and that  
the statements made by her are  
true to the best of their knowledge  
and belief, and they have no interest  
whatsoever in her claim.

Signed } Jim Hinds  
          } John E. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this aug. 28<sup>th</sup> 1907:

My Commission Expires:

Jan. 1910.

M. F. Ruck

Notary Public.

No. 40927

Action: *Repet.*

Name *Malissa L. York* and children. Residence: *Henry, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Sister to Ada Atkins (40548) and  
Claims through same line.*

40927

No. 40927

Name Melina L. York

With No. 40545

Remarks:



No. 40927

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Melvin L. York*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*F. A. Tabor, Atty  
Albany N.Y.*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Of  
Eastern Cherokee  
Application of  
Malinda York.

for share of money  
appropriated for the  
Eastern Cherokee Indians  
by the act of Congress.

Approved June 30, 1906  
in accordance with the  
decree of the court in  
claims of May 18, 1905.  
May 28, 1906

Filed By  
H. A. Taber  
Albany  
Ky

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Special Commissioner of Claims  
601 Murray Building Washington - D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application - for such  
share as may be due me of  
the fund appropriated by the act of  
Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decree of  
the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905  
and May 28, 1906, in favor of the  
Eastern Cherokee. The evidence  
of identity is herewith submitted.  
State full name.

1 English name: Malisa L. York  
Indian name: Holmore.

2 Residence and post office: Glenview.

3 County: Kentross

4 State: Tennessee

5 How old are you: 37 Born - July 27, 1872

6 Where were you born: Oute - County, Tenn.

7 Are you married: Yes.

8 Name and age of wife or husband:  
Lester M. York, 32.

9 To what tribe of Indian does he or she  
belong: None.

10 Name all your children who were living  
on May 28, 1906 giving their ages.  
Name: Age: Born:

(1) John M. York 11 Aug 6, 1896.

(2) Mack L. York 10 Sep 5, 1897.

(3) Henry - - 8 Feb 18, 1900



- (4) Mary A. York 6. May 1st 1901  
 (5) Sarah E. 4. Oct 25. 1902  
 (6) Bicy 3. July 31 1901
- 11 Give names of your father and mother  
 and your mother's name before marriage.  
 Father English Name: Thomas H. Johnson  
 Indian Name: None  
 Mother's English name: Sarah Ann Johnson  
 Indian name: Ahlmon  
 Maiden name: Sarah Ann Smith
- 12 Where were they born: Father:  
 About 1845 Mother:  
 About 1847.
- 13 Where did they reside in 1851 if living  
 at that time: in Iowa.
- 14 Date and death of your father and mother.  
 Father: Dec. 1897.  
 Mother: Living
- 15 Were they ever married for money  
 annuities, land or other benefits, if so.  
 State when and where and with  
 what tribe of Indians.  
 Not to my knowledge.
- 16 Name all your brothers and sisters.  
 Giving ages and residence if possible.  
 William Johnson Franklin, Ia.  
 Thomas " " " " " " " "

Name      Born      Died.

- (1) Daniel Johnson Allen, Jr.
- (2) Charley " " " "
- (3) Mammie Hogue, Washville, Va.
- (4) Etta Johnson - Not known.
- (5) Ada Cudkins, Glen Elder, Va.
- (6)
- (7)

17. State English and Indian names of  
your grand-parents on both father  
and mother's side if possible.  
Father's side      Mother's side.

William Smith.  
Sarah Ann " "  
Indian name Helmon

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1841 if living  
at that time; Term 2.

20. Give names of their children and  
residence if possible:

- 1 Thomas Smith, Hillman, Va.
- 2 Mark Smith " "
- 3 Louise Cook, Millersport, Va.
- 4 Mammie Berger, Belton, Va.
- 5
- 6
- 7

21. Have you been enrolled for money annuities,  
land or other benefits. if so; state, where  
and where, and with what tribe  
of Indians. No

22. To assist in identification - claimant should  
give the full English and Indian  
names if possible; of their parents and  
grand parents back to 1835. parents:  
Thomas Johnson & Sarah Johnson - grand  
parents, William Smith & Sarah Smith  
great grand parents, Jeral Holman -  
I claim through Jeral Holman, 1/2 blood Cherokee.  
Remarks

I appoint F. A. Labor of Albany, N.Y.,  
my true and lawful atty. to prosecute  
this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing  
statements made by me are true  
to the best of my knowledge  
and belief. Signed Malison L. York

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 23rd day 1907.

My Commission Expires M. F. Buck,  
Jan 1 1910.

Notary Public.

Personally appeared before me, Martin Stern  
and: ~~John~~ Stern,

who being duly sworn, or oath depose  
and say that they are well acquainted  
with Malison L. York.

Malisa L. York. Who makes the foregoing  
application and statements and have known  
her to be the identical person she  
represents herself to be and that the statements  
made by her are to the best of their knowledge  
and belief and they have no interest  
whatsoever in her. Signed Major Sterens,  
Claimant. / Kate Sterens,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day  
of August 1907

My commission expires  
Jan. 1910.

M. F. Bucke  
Notary Public.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 6 1909  
No. 40927

circ. let.

Glen Obergman,  
April 29, 1909,  
Special Commissioner, U.S. Court Claims  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:

Some thing over a year ago filed claim  
to participate in the distribution of the funds  
allowed the Couteau Cherokee Indians  
as allowed by the Court of Claims and not  
having any thing <sup>from</sup> it in any way for  
about a year. thought I would write  
you, asking you to give me the status or  
condition of my claim. "Then will it be  
settled" and how much will be allowed  
each applicant in said fund.

Respectfully  
Mrs. Malissa H. York

No. 40928

Action: Rejected

Name Hannah Stephens and 5 children. Residence: Little Creek, Tenn

Reasons:

Sister of husband of #110709 and claim, the same  
same.

40928

No. 40925

Name Hannah Stephens

With No. 40709

Remarks:



No. 10028

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Hamrah Stephen*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*F. A. Tabor, Atty*  
*Albany Ky.*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

7101

Eastern Cherokee  
application  
Hannah Stevens.

For shares of appropri-  
ation for the Eastern  
Cherokee Indians  
by act of Congress  
approved June 30, 1906  
in accordance with  
the decrees of the Court  
of Claims January 15,  
1906, and May 28, 1906,

Filed By

F. J. Stevens

attorney

Special Commissioner <sup>the court of</sup> Claims  
601. O'Quay Building Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for  
such share as may be due me  
of the fund appropriated by the  
act of Congress approved June 30.  
1906, in accordance with the  
decrees of the court of claims of  
May 18, 1906 and May 28, 1906,  
in favor of the Eastern Cherokee.  
The evidence of identity is herewith  
subjoined

1. State full name; Hammer Stephens  
English name DOWNS  
Indian name

2. Residence and post office: Little Crab

3. County: Henderson

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 34 Born 1877

Where were you born?

Henderson County Tenn

Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband? Thomas  
Stephens 37 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she  
belong? Stephens

10. Name of your children who were living  
on May, 28, 1906, giving their ages.

| Name            | Ages   | Born         |
|-----------------|--------|--------------|
| Alford Stephens | 18 2/3 | Dec 24, 1892 |



2 Bertha Storms 1886/1896 <sup>born</sup> July 20. 1896  
 3 William B. . . 1899 Sept 27, 1899  
 4 Lefa E . . 1901 Feb. 9. 1901  
 5 William H. . . 1903 July 10. 1903  
 6

11 Give name of your father and mother  
 and your mother's name before  
 marriage: Edwin James

Father English name: Edward

Indian name: Dows

Mother English name: Pally or Mary

Indian name: Dows

maiden name: Pally Dows

12 Where were you born? Father:  
 Fentress County Tenn Mother in  
 Fentress County Tenn

13 Where did they reside in 1851, if  
 living at that time? Father:  
 Fentress in Fentress Co. Tenn Mother  
 Fentress County Tenn

14 Date of death of your father and mother  
 Father: don't know  
 Mother: 1896

15. Were were they enrolled for money  
 annuities, land or other benefits? If so,  
 state when and where, and with  
 what tribe of Indians: not to  
 my knowledge.

16 Name all your brothers and sisters giving ages, and residence if possible

|    | Name.        | Born.   | Died.   |
|----|--------------|---------|---------|
| 1. | David King   |         | Dec     |
| 2. | Alven J.     |         | "       |
| 3  | William      |         | "       |
| 4  | Marnie Owens | Idemaha | Idemaha |
| 5  |              |         |         |
| 6  |              |         |         |

17 State English names and Indian names of your grandparents on both father and mother's side, if possible.

Father's side: Mother's side:

Wiley Downs  
Dresser "

Indian name: Name:

18 Where were they born

19 Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
in Idemaha

20 Give names of their children and residence if possible:

|   |              |                |
|---|--------------|----------------|
| 1 | John         | Allard Idemaha |
| 2 | Jess         | Dec            |
| 3 | Luke         | "              |
| 4 | Marnie Hicks | "              |
|   | Shade        | "              |

6.  
6  
21 Have you been enrolled for money  
an annuity, land or other benefits?  
If so state when and where, and  
with what tribe of Indians; No

22 To assist in identification, clai-  
mant should give the full English  
and Indian names, if possible,  
of their parents and grandparents  
back to 1835;

Wiley Down of Cherokee  
descent-

I appoint H. A. Tabor of Albany,  
N.Y.; my true and lawful atty,  
to prosecute this claim. I solemnly  
swear that the foregoing statements  
made by me are true to the best of  
my knowledge and belief

Subscribed and sworn Signed } Hannah Stephens  
to before Aug. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1907.

My commission - Exp.

M. F. Buck, Notary Public

(Personally appeared before me

Ann Hinds

and Martha E. Schoat

Who being duly sworn

on oath before me that they are well  
acquainted with, Hannah Stephens.

Who makes the foregoing application  
and statements and have known  
her to be the identical person, she  
represents herself, to be, and that the  
statements made by her are true  
to the best of their knowledge and  
belief, and they have no interest  
whatever in her claim.

Signed } Sim Hines Bloat  
Martha E  
Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this 22 day of Aug, 1907  
My Commission expires  
Jan. 1910.

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.



No. 40929

Action: Rejected

Name Marie Farias and 2 children.

Residence: Buford, Ga.

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled.  
Does not appear that they were living with  
the Cherokee Indians in 1835 or 1846 as required  
members of the tribe. Does not appear that they ever  
mixed with the Cherokee tribe -

Misc. Test. T. 1279.

First / E.A. ?  
No. 40929

Name Mollie Fields

With No.

Remarks:

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 40020

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mallie Fields*  
*2 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 20, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mallie Field

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Buford

3. County: Gwinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 32 Born 5-6-1876

6. Where were you born? Paul county Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Berrie Field

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME               | AGE.     | BORN.             |
|-----|--------------------|----------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>Lucie Field</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>10-25-1901</u> |
| (2) | <u>Barley 111</u>  | <u>2</u> | <u>11-17-1904</u> |
| (3) |                    |          |                   |
| (4) |                    |          |                   |
| (5) |                    |          |                   |
| (6) |                    |          |                   |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Danie Miller

Indian name: don't know

Mother—English name: Sley Miller

Indian name: m h

Maiden name: Sley Painter Little

12. Where were they born?

Father: Paul county Ga

Mother: Fanning co Ga



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fanning county Ga

Mother: 1877 111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: Dead 1885

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: dont know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                  | BORN.                 | DIED.             |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>Freddie Miller</u> | <u>12-11-1877</u>     | <u>unfaced Ga</u> |
|     | <u>Harrie</u>         | <u>111 12-25-1879</u> | <u>111 11</u>     |
| (2) |                       |                       |                   |
| (3) |                       |                       |                   |
| (4) |                       |                       |                   |
| (5) |                       |                       |                   |
| (6) |                       |                       |                   |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Butler

Madison Painter

Leatha 1111

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Miller

Lisa Miller

18. Where were they born? in South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fanning co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) John Painter Fanning co Ga

(2) Barney 111 111 11

(3) Sammy 111 111 11

(4) Lee 111 111 11

(5) Walter Johnson Darmon co Ga

(6) Jacob Painter Dead

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: none

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mallie Fields  
Daughter of J. L. White the daughter  
Madison Painter is a son of William  
REMARKS. Painter

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Mallie Fields Cherokee through  
the Painter family of S. C.  
supposed to be on the Cherokee Rolls  
of some date

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mallie Fields

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sep., 1900.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. S. White

and G. L. Bannan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mallie Fields

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 8 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses:

L. S. White  
G. L. Bannan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

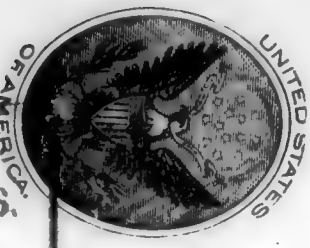
My commission expires

Sep., 1900. J. Blackwood

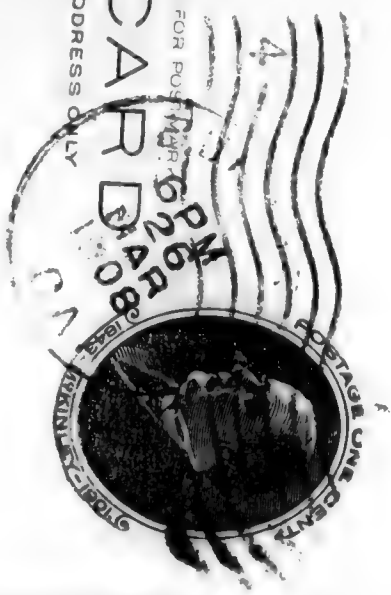
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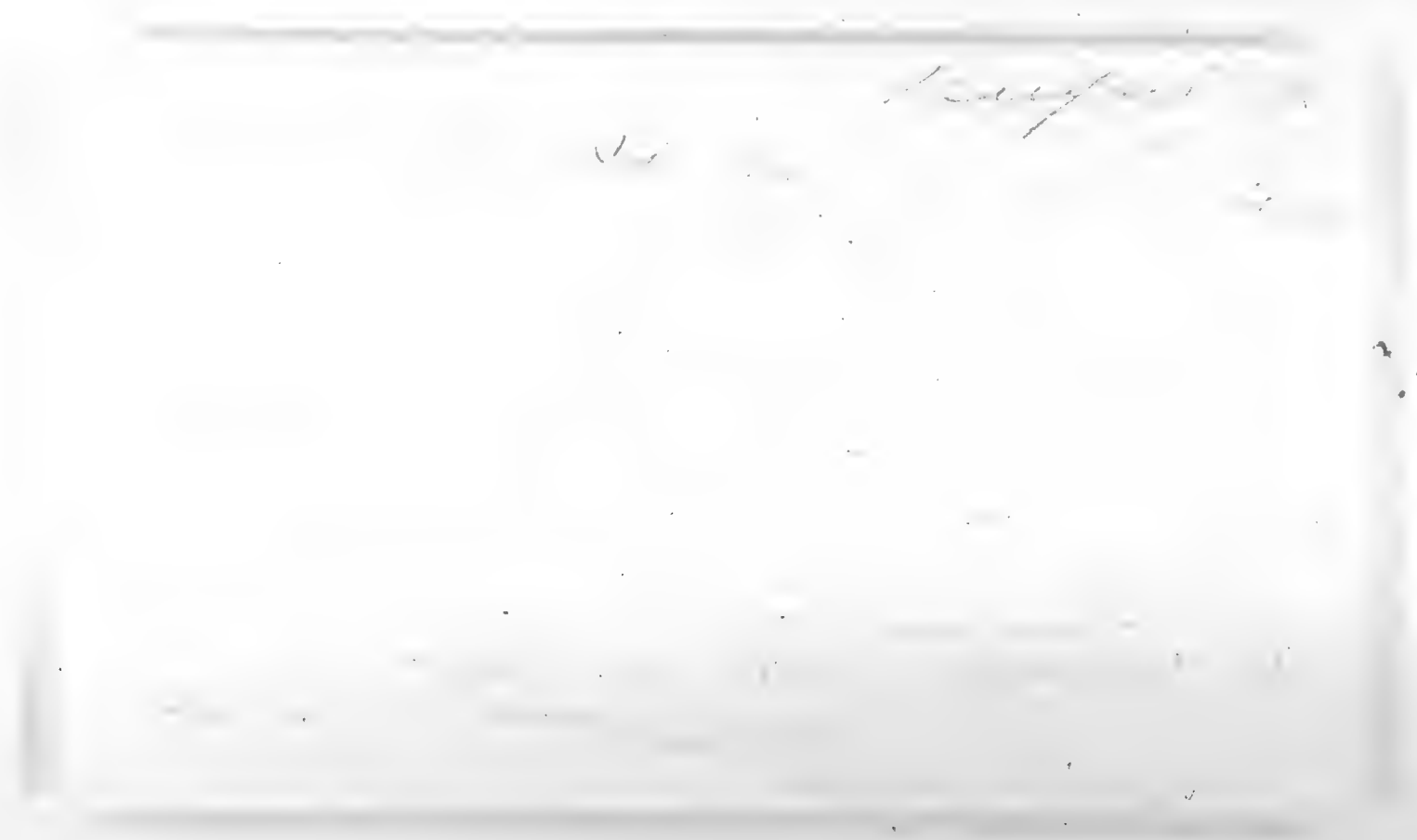
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COUNT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 28 1908  
No. 40928

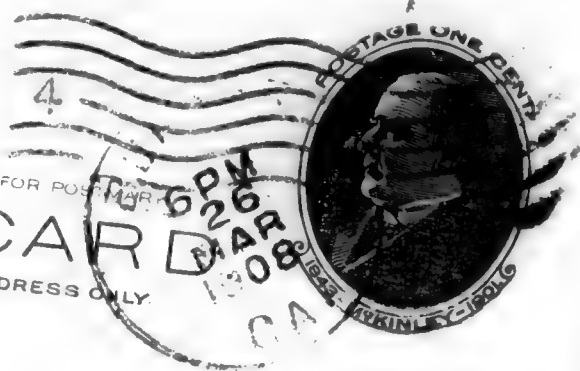
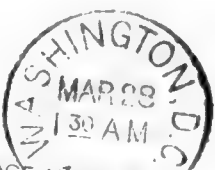


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COUNTY OF POLK  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 28 1908  
No. 40920

App. No. 40929.

March 31, 1908.

Mollie Fields,

Buford,

Georgia.

Madam:

We are in receipt of a postal card from you in which you state that on the 5th of March you forwarded \$1.00 to this office to pay for looking up your claim.

In reply you are advised that the above mentioned money has not been received at this office, and if it had been received it would have been returned to you promptly, as there is no charge for receiving and considering applications of claimants for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

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Appln. No. 40929.

June 4, 1908.

Mollie Fields,  
Buford, Ga.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

ACT/WHO.

Misc.

Appl. #40929

Mollie Fields being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Mollie Fields. I live at Buford, Ga. I claim through my mother and her father. My mother died in 1888 and was 32 years old when she died. I claim through my grandfather, Madison Suttle. (not P inter as put in my application) My great grandfather is William Suttle. I get my Indian blood from him. My grandfather was born and raised in S. C. My great grandfather was from S. C. too. I never heard of my mother, grandfather or great grandfather getting any money or land from the Govt. on account of their Indian blood. I guess I lived in Hall Co., Ga. in 1882. ~~My great-grandfather lived with the Indian tribe. They tell me he was a full blooded Indian. I don't know whether my grandfather was recognized as white or Indian. They just told me that my great-grandfather was an Indian. My grandmother told me, but I don't remember her ever saying what tribe. I don't know what tribe.~~

Mollie Fields

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, 1908  
at Lawrenceville, Ga.



W0-40929

Barford Ga  
July 20 - 1908  
Special commissioner  
of the court of  
claims

Washington Dc  
in answer to your inquiry  
of June the 4th concerning  
my relation to the  
children of W. C.  
I have learnt that  
my Grand father was  
and illegitimate child  
and assumed his mother's  
name. his true name  
being William Suttle  
his father being

a. W. C. Leherke  
William Panter or  
Suttle lived at  
Speener, Ga in 1831  
his name was on the  
Roll as Suttle I  
hear that all the  
Suttle Indians went  
west in 1838 my grand  
father was Kallcherake  
I pass here as white  
as I nor any of my  
People was ever a slave  
I met an agent  
at Gorance Mill and  
related these facts  
to him so if you  
need any thing  
more let me know  
Whellie Fields

No. 40930

Action: Rejected.

Name Sam E. Keen and X children. Residence: Hegira, Ky.

Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 a d claim, this same source.

No. 40930-2-3

Name Geo. J. Johnson

With No. H 1124

Remarks:

Sam S. Keen

Martha S. Keen

Julia Keen

John S. Keen



40930

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Sam E. Keen*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*J. A. Tabor, Atty  
Albany N.Y.*

40930

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents

\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No  
Eastern Cherokee<sup>X</sup>  
Application  
of

Sam E Kien

Filed by  
F. A. Tabor  
clerk  
Ky

Special Commissioner of the Court  
of Claims, 601 Murray Building  
Washington D.C.

Sir: I hereby make application for  
a share as may be due me of the  
fund appropriated by the Act of Congress  
approved June 30, 1906 in accordance with  
the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905 and May 28, 1906 in favor of the  
Eastern Cherokee. The evidence of  
identity is herewith subjoined

State full name  
English name Sam E. Keen

Indian name Cable

Residence <sup>and Post Office</sup> Regina

County Clinton State Kentucky

How old are you 33 Born Sept 7, 1874

Where were you born Clinton County Ky.

Are you married? yes

Name and age of wife or husband

Rosa Keen age 32 years

Is not a line of Indians drawn has she belong  
name

Name of all your children now living  
on May 28, 1906 giving their ages

None



True names of your father and mother  
and your mother's name before marriage

Father's English name Francis S Keen

Indian name name

Mother English name Nancy J Keen

Indian name Cobb

Maiden name Nancy J. Davis

Where were they born

Father Cumberland Co. Ky.

Mother Clinton Co. Ky.

Where did they reside in 1851 if living at  
that time

Father Cumberland Co. Ky.

Mother Clinton Co. Ky.

Date of death of your father & mother

Father Living

Mother Living

Were they ever connected for money annuities

land or other benefits of estate when

under such legal process as to same No.

Have all your brothers & sisters

and residence if possible

Abias C. Keen age 41 Residence unknown, John G. Keen

age 41 J. T. & Mary A Keen age 39 Ky, Laura C Keen age

37 Ky, Wm E. Keen age 35 Tenn, Sarah L Keen

age 27 Ky, Jack B. Keen 21 Ky.

Tell English and Indian names of your  
grandparents on both father's & mother's side  
if possible;

Father's side

Mother's side

John Jones Great Grand mother Elizabeth Cole  
Grand Grand mother Fanny Walker

Where were they born? Do not know  
Where did they reside in 1851? I living at  
that time. Do not know

Give names of all their children  
residence if possible

John Jones

Albany, Ky.

Shenad W Jones

Shively "

Sam B. Jones

Texas

Nancy J. Keen

" Ky

Peter Jones

read

Sally King

Have you ever been called for money  
annuities and other receipts of  
the Indian and what with what  
of the Indians?

English and Indian names of parents  
grandparents to 1835

Francis J. Keen Nancy J. Keen Jones Great Parents  
Nathan Jones Nancy S. Jones Great Grand Parents  
Peter Jones Elizabeth Cole Jones Great Great  
Grand Parents - Cole and Fannie Walker  
Cole

I appoint N. A. Taber of Albany My  
true & lawful attorney to prosecute  
this claim and hereby agree to pay my  
said attorney 10% (Ten percent) of such  
sums as may be found due me in  
the premises and direct same to be  
paid to my said attorney by the Hon.  
Special Commissioner of the U. S.  
Court of Claims.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing  
statements made by me are true to best  
of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Saml E. Allen  
Subscribed and sworn to before me  
This 26 day of Aug. 1907. My Commission Expires Feb 26 1910  
Etz A. Burton Notary Public

Personally appeared before me Ida E. Jarvis  
and Amanda J. Jarvis who being duly sworn on oath  
deposed and say that they are well acquainted with  
Sam E. Allen who makes the foregoing  
application and statements and have known  
him for 15 years 12 years respectively and know  
him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be and that the statements made  
by him are true to the best of their knowledge  
and belief and they have no interest whatever  
in his claim. Ida E. Jarvis  
Amanda J. Jarvis

No. 40931

Action: Rejected

Name Martha S. K. Pierce and 7 children. Residence: Hobart, Ky.

Reasons:

cousin of #21063 and claims this same source.

40931



No. 10931

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Martha S. K. Pierce*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*F. A. Tabor, Atty  
Albany N.Y.*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

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Notary Public.

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No 5  
Eastern Cherokee  
Application  
of  
Martha S. Pierce

Filed by  
H. A. Talbot  
Albany  
N.Y.

Exhibit and record of this  
to day of Aug. 1907

Special Commissioner of the Court of  
Claims, 601 Olney Building  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such  
share as may be due me of the fund  
appropriated by act of Congress approved  
March 30 1906 in accordance with the  
decree of the Court of Claims of May  
8 1905 <sup>and</sup> May 28 1906 in favor of the  
Eastern Cherokee

the evidence of identity is herewith  
submitted

State of Virginia

English Martha S. Keen Pierce  
Indian Cobb

Residence West River Reabont  
County Clinton

State Kentucky

Married age 30 yrs Born July 11 1887

Married age born Clinton Ky

Married age yrs

Married age of wife or husband

John H. Pierce age 4 yrs

What title of interest has been or  
belonging to me

I have at present no other children who were  
born May 28 1906 John F. Pierce age 13,  
James E. Pierce age 12, Jess S. Pierce age 10, Jackson H.  
Pierce age 6, Leora E. Pierce age 5, James C. Pierce age 4  
Ethan M. Pierce age 2



Give names of your father & mother  
your mother's name before marriage;  
Francis S. Keen, Nancy J. Keen

Father - English name Francis S. Keen

Indian name none

Mother - English name Nancy J. Keen

Indian name Cobler

Maiden Name Nancy J. Jarvis

Where were they born?

Father; Cumberland Co. Ky.

Mother; Clinton Co. Ky.

Where did they reside in 1850 if living  
at that time;

Father Clinton Co. Ky.

Mother Clinton Co. Ky.

Date of death of your father & mother;

Father Living

Mother Living

Are they ever enrolled in any companies  
and on what account? Give date as in  
age, where and with what tribe of  
Indians; none

Now call your brothers & sisters giving  
ages and residence if possible.

Elias C. Keen age 44 Residence unknown John G. Keen age  
41 27 Ky. Mary A. Keen age 37 Ky. Laura C. Keen age 37 Ky. William E.  
Keen age 35 Tenn. Sam E. Keen age 33 Ky. Sarah S. Keen age  
27 Ky. Joseph S. Keen age 21 Ky.

State English and Indian names of  
your grand parents on both father and  
Mother's side if possible

Father's side                      Mother's side  
Grand Mother's Indian name was Calie.

How were they born. Do not know  
Where did they reside in, 851 if living at that time  
~~Clinton County Ky.~~ Do not know  
names of all their children (and)  
residence if possible

|                    |             |
|--------------------|-------------|
| 1 John Jarvis      | Albany Ky.  |
| 2 Samuel W. Jarvis | Shively Ky. |
| 3 Sarah Jarvis     | Texas       |
| 4 Nancy J. Jarvis  | " Ky.       |
| 5 Peter Jarvis     | dead        |
| 6 Sally King       | "           |

Have you ever been enrolled for money  
or other benefits? if so state  
when and where and what was at  
tributed to Indians. No

no assistance-identification claimant  
showing the full English and Indian  
names, if possible, of their parents (and)  
grand parents back to 1835

Nathan Jarvis Grand Father Great Grand Father  
Peter Jarvis Great Grand mother Elizabeth Calie  
Great Great Grand-mother Fanny Kaler

I appoint F. A. Tabor of Albany my true and lawful attorney to prosecute this claim and hereby agree to pay my said attorney (10) ten per cent of such sums as may be found due me in the premises and direct same to be paid to my said attorney by the Hon. Special Commissioner of the U.S. Court of Claims  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statement made by me is true to the best of my knowledge and belief  
(Signature) Martha S. Pierce  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907 My Commission Expires Feb 26 1910  
Elza Ruthven Nelson Rutledge

Ida E. Jarvis and Amanda J. Jarvis  
Personally appeared before me Ida E. Jarvis and Amanda J. Jarvis who having duly sworn or both depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha S. Pierce and that as to the foregoing application and statement made by her are true to the best of their knowledge and belief and they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Ida E. Jarvis Amanda J. Jarvis  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907  
My Commission Expires Feb 26 1910 Elza Ruthven Nelson Rutledge

|                                       |             |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |             |
| Rec.                                  | JAN 27 1908 |
| No.                                   | 40931       |

*enc. let.*

JAN 28 1908



Martha D. Pierce

Hebert, Ky  
Jan. 23, 1908.

Mr. Guion Miller

Special Commissioner  
of the court of claims, Eastern Cherokee  
enrollment. I filed a claim in Aug.  
1907, for my wife she being an heir  
of Ambrose Cobb, my atty is F. A.  
Labor, and I just simply want to  
ask you the standing of the Cobb.  
claim please write me, I don't  
remember the No of my claim it  
being sent back to you I cant give  
it yours very truly J. H. Pierce

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 11 1908  
No. 40431

*Wingfield*

SEP 11 1908

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Sept 7/08  
Hobart Ky

Mr Simon Miller  
in relative to the ~~Eastern~~  
Cherokee Enrollment i  
have claim on acyt  
Hancey Koko leob if it  
is not agante your Ruling  
you advise me if mi claim  
is O.K. & when it will  
be settled if it ant  
any good i wold like  
to now it so i cold  
Get it off mi mine  
yours

Martha S. Pierce

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 11 1907  
No. 40931.

corrected  
card. find.

NOV 11 1907



FRANCIS A. TABOR  
ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR.

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ALBANY, KY. 11/6 1907

Hon. Gavin Miller  
U.S. Circuit Court  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,  
In the Application of  
Wm. S. Pierce No 40981  
the "res" is addressed to  
Martin S. Keen which  
should be Pierce  
He is the Plaintiff  
No. 4018-0  
Please correct or advise  
me if wrong

Respectfully  
Yours

No. 40932

Action: *Rejected.*

Name *Willie F. Keen* and *X* children. Residence: *Kobart, Ky.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 21063 and claims this same source*

40932

C No. 10982

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Willie F. Keen*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*J. A. Tabor, Atty  
Albany Ky  
4.9.60*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents

\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 . \_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

Eastern Cherokees

Application

of

Martin S. Green

Filed by

W. J. Walker

Albany

Aug

Name

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11 Give name of your Father and mother  
and mothers name before marriage?  
Fathers English Name? Francis S. Kien  
Indian " " None  
Mothers English Name Nancy Jane Jarvis Kien  
Indian Name Cable  
Maiden Name Nancy Jane Jarvis

12 Where were they Born.  
Father Cumberland County Kentucky  
Mother Christian County Kentucky

13 Where did they reside in 1851 if living at  
that time

Father Cumberland County Kentucky  
Mother Christian County Kentucky  
Date of death of father and mother.

14 Father Living  
Mother Living

Ma. J. a. S. Keen  
 John F. Keen  
 John S. Keen  
 July 11 1877  
 Sept. 11 1879  
 Jan. 14 1886  
 Ky  
 " "  
 " "  
 Living

Were they ever enrolled for money annuities  
 15 land or other benefits? If so state when and  
 where and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16 Name all your brothers and sisters giving  
 ages and residences if possible:

Name..... Born..... Died.....

- |    |   |               |          |        |
|----|---|---------------|----------|--------|
| 1  | Elias C. Keen   | April 8 1863  | Kentucky | Living |
| 2  | John G. Keen  | Sept. 10 1866 | I. T.    | "      |
| 3  | Mary A. Keen  | May 6 1865    | Ky.      | "      |
| 4  | Laura C. Keen   | Feb 16 1870   | Ky.      | "      |
| 5  | Nannie E. Keen  | July 29 1872  | Tenn.    | "      |
| 6  | Sam. C. Keen  | Sept 7 1874   | Ky.      | "      |
| 17 | State English name of your grandparents on<br>both Fathers and Mothers side if possible:<br>Fathers side: Mothers side: |               |          |        |

Nathan Jorvis

- 18 Where were they Born? Kentucky  
 19 Where did they reside in 1861, if living  
 at that time? Clinton County Kentucky  
 20 Give names of all their children and  
 residence if possible:

|                  |              |
|------------------|--------------|
| John Jorvis      | Albany, Ky.  |
| Shirad W. Jorvis | Blisley, Ky. |
| Sam B. Jorvis    | Lexas        |
| Momcy J. Keen    | Ky.          |
| Riter Jorvis     | dead         |
| Sally King       | "            |

|                |               |      |        |
|----------------|---------------|------|--------|
| Martha S. Keen | July 11 1877  | Wife | Living |
| Sarah F. Keen  | Sept. 11 1879 | "    | "      |
| John S. Keen   | June 14 1886  | "    | "      |

20  
 names of all their children and  
 residence if possible;  
 after former settlement



- 21 Have you ever been enrolled for money, Immunities land or other benefits? If so state when and where and with what tribe of Indians: *No*
- 22 To assist in Identification Claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible of their parents and grand parents back to 1835. My Great Grand mother was Elizabeth Cobb whose mother was Fannie Cobb whose Indian name was Kaker

### Remarks.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)

I appoint F. A. Tabor of Albany my true and lawful attorney to prosecute this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
(Signature) *Willie Tabor*

Subscribed and sworn to Before me this 26 day of August 1907 My Commission Expires Feb 26 1910

*Elza Beckham Nelson Public*

Affidavit.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to  
by two or more witnesses who are well  
acquainted with the Applicant)

Personally Appeared Before me

Ida E. Jarvis and Amanda J.  
Jarvis who, being duly sworn

on oath depose and say that they are  
well acquainted with: William F. Keen

who makes the foregoing  
Statements and have known ~~him~~ <sup>him</sup> for 15-  
years and 12 years respectively, and  
know him to be the identical person  
Represents himself to be, and that the  
Statements made by him are true to  
the best of their knowledge and  
belief. and ~~they~~ <sup>they</sup> have no interest <sup>whatever</sup> in  
His Claim

Ida E. Jarvis  
Amanda J. Jarvis

Subscribed and sworn to Before me this  
26 day of August 1907

My Commission Expires Feb 26 1910, Elza Bertram Notary Public

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims  
601 O'Quay Building Washington D.C.

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Sir:

I hereby make application for such share  
as may be due me of the fund appropriated  
by act of congress approved June 30, 1906  
in accordance with the decree of the Court  
of Claims of May 18 - 1906 and May 28  
1906. in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.  
The Evidence of Identity is herewith.

Subjoined:

- 1 State full name: Willie Frank Keen  
English? Willie Frank Keen  
Indian? Cable
- 2 Residence and Post office: Heabont
- 3 County: Clinton
- 4 State: Kentucky
- 5 How old are you? 24 years, born April 20 1882.
- 6 Where were you born? Clinton County, Ky.
- 7 Are you married? Yes
- 8 Name and age of wife or husband.  
Maggie Keen 16 years
- 9 To what tribe of Indians does he or she  
belong. None.
- 10 Name all your children who were living  
May 28-1906. None

No. 40933

Action: *Repeled*

Name *Sherad W. Jarvis* and *5* children. Residence: *Hobart, Ky.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #21063 and claims this same source.*



No. 10933

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sherad H. Jarvis*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*F. A. Labor, Atty  
Albany N.Y.  
EE 607*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public.

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents

\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public.

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Herbert W. Jarvis

(15) Were they ever enrolled for money annuities  
land or other benefits: if so state when  
and where and with what tribe of  
Indians No

(16) Name all your brothers and sisters  
giving ages and residences if possible

|   | Name             | Age | Residence      |
|---|------------------|-----|----------------|
| 1 | John Jomis       | 71  | Albany, Ky.    |
| 2 | Sam B Jomis      | 53- | Texas          |
| 3 | Nancy J. Kellogg | 64  | Habersham, Ky. |
| 4 | Peter Jomis      |     | Dead.          |
| 5 | Sarah Jomis      |     | Dead.          |
| 6 |                  |     |                |

(17) State English and Indian name of  
your grand parents on both Father's  
and Mother's side if possible

Father's side Mother's side

Peter Jomis Indian name. Corleah

Mother's side name

18 Where were they born:

Do not know

19 Where did they reside in 1861 if living  
at that time: Do not know

20 Give names of their children and  
residence if possible:



Name

- 1 Huc Jarvis
- 2 Jack Jarvis
- 3 Sam Jarvis Delitha Shao
- 4 John Jarvis Kattunee Hozy
- 5 Andrew Jarvis John Hore
- 6 Net Jarvis

All dead

(21) Have you been entitled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits of the State when and where and with what tribe of Indians. No

(22) To assist in identification Claimant should give the full English and Indian names if possible of their parents and grand parents back to 1835. Parents John Nathan Jarvis Nancy G. Cobb Jarvis, Peter Jarvis, Elizabeth Cobb Jarvis — Cobbs. Famine Harker Cobb I appoint F. G. Tabor of Albany as my true and lawful attorney to prosecute this claim and hereby agree to pay my said attorney ten percent of such sum as may be recovered for me in this matter and direct same to be paid to my said attorney by the Hon. Special Commissioner of the U.S. Court of Claims

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief

Shesal W. Jarvis

Special Commissioner of the Court  
of Claims 601 Murray Building  
Washington D.C.

Sir,

I hereby make application for such  
share as may be due me in the fund  
appropriated by act of Congress approved  
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the  
decree of The Court of Claims of May  
18-1905 and May 28-1906 in favor  
of the Eastern Cherokee.

The evidence of identity is herewith  
subjoined:

- 1 State full name:
- 1 English Sherrad W. Jarvis  
Indian Cobl.
- 2 Residence and Post Office: Newbair-
- 3 County: Chilton
- 4 State: Kentucky
- 5 How old are you: 57 years Born Nov 22 1847
- 6 Where born: Newbair: Kentucky
- 7 Are you married: yes
- 8 Name and age of wife or husband:
- 9 Is what tribe of Indians does he or  
she belong: Amanda J Jarvis age 32 yrs  
No Indian relation
- 10 Name all your children who were  
living May 28-1906.

| Name               | Age      | Relationship          |
|--------------------|----------|-----------------------|
| 1 Charley Jarvis   | 27 years | Husband of Mrs Jarvis |
| 2 Murty Jarvis     | 18       | Marshall M Jarvis     |
| 3 John S. Jarvis   | 17       | Bert R. Jarvis        |
| 4 Birtie L. Jarvis | 11       | Edna J Jarvis         |
| 5 Willie C Jarvis  | 9        | Born Sept 13 1900     |
| 6 Mary B. Jarvis   | 8        |                       |

11 Give name of your father and your mother's name before marriage  
 Father's English name: Nathan Jarvis  
 Indian name: Nathan Jarvis Cobble  
 Mother's English name: Nancy G. Jarvis  
 Indian name: name  
 Maiden name: Nancy G. Calk

12 Where were they born:

Father: Kentucky

Mother: Kentucky

13 Where did they reside in 1851 if living at that time:

Father: Christian Co. Ky.

Mother: Christian Co. Ky.

14 Date of death of Father and Mother

Father: about 1890

Mother: about 1898





No. 40934.

Action: Reject.

Name: Marion Crisp and X children. Residence: Glenaby, Tenn.  
Reasons: Applicants ancestors were never enrolled,  
were never parties to treaties of 1835-36-46,  
applicant does not offer any genuine proof  
of a connection with the Cherokee tribe.

Misc-Test P. 679.

40934

Fentress Co. *True*

No 37090

Name *Robt. A. Cish*

With No. *Woodville*

Remarks:

*+ Shipping*

*Nos. 41036-7, 40925,*

*40923-4, 40915*

*40934, 40924*  
*grouped beneath.*

*Not on rolls.*

*Not 1st 3.*

No. 10431

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Marion Crisp*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*F. A. Tabor, Atty  
Albany Ky  
4034*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Notary Public.*

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Notary Public.*

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No  
Eastern Cherokee.  
Application of  
Marion Gipe

Filed B.  
S. J. Brown  
Attorney  
by

Special Commissioner of the Court of  
Claims, 601 May Building Washington D.C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such  
share as may be due me of  
the fund appropriated by the act  
of Congress, approved June 30 1906  
in accordance with the decrees  
of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905  
and May 28, 1906 in favor of the  
Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of  
identity is herewith submitted.

1 State full name:

English name: Marion Crisp

Indian name: Crisp

2 Residence and post office: Glen Hey.

3 County: Benton

4 State: Tenn.

5 How old are you? 29. ~~Glen Hey, Tenn.~~

6 Where were you born: ~~Glen Hey, Tenn.~~

7 are you married: yes.

8 Name and age of wife or husband:  
Margaret B. Crisp 25 yr.

9 To what tribe of Indians does he  
or she belong? None.

10 Name all your children who were  
living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages.

| Name                | ages | Born          |
|---------------------|------|---------------|
| (1) George A. Crisp |      | Dec. 17, 1905 |

(2) ~~and died Oct 15th 1906.~~

•(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11 Give Name of your father and mother.  
and your mother's name before  
marriage!

Father's English name: George W. Crisp  
Indian: . . . Crisp.

Mother's English name: Sarah E. Crisp.  
Indian: . . .

Maiden: . . . Sargent.

12 where were they born: Father:  
in Monroe County Ark. Mother:

in Boone County, Tenn.

13 where did they reside in 1857 if  
living at that time: Father:  
in Elliott County Ky. Mother:

not born.

14 Date of death of your father and mother:  
Father: Dec. March 29-1904.  
Mother: Living

15 were they ever entitled for money annuities  
Lands or other benefits: if so, state  
when and where and with what  
links of Indians:

not to my knowledge.

16 Name all your brothers and sisters giving ages and residences if possible:

|      | Name:             | Born: | Died: |
|------|-------------------|-------|-------|
| (1)  | John E. Grier     |       |       |
| (2)  | Helena Grier      |       |       |
| (3)  | William Grier     |       |       |
| (4)  | Helena Grier      |       |       |
| (5)  | Catherine Allred  |       |       |
| (6)  | Ellen May Grier   |       |       |
| (7)  | Charles Grier     |       |       |
| (8)  | Ellen May Grier   |       |       |
| (9)  | Margaret A. Grier |       |       |
| (10) | Ellen May Grier   |       |       |
| (11) | Martina Grier     |       |       |
| (12) | Ellen May Grier   |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grand parents on both father's and mother side if possible.  
 Father's side: Mother's side:  
 Carroll Grier  
 Elizabeth Grier

18 Where were they born?  
 in Cherokee county N.C.

19 Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
 in Ark.

20 Give names of their children and residences if possible:

|     |                 |      |
|-----|-----------------|------|
| (1) | William Grier   | Ark. |
| (2) | Jack            | "    |
| (3) | Jack            | "    |
| (4) | C. G. Grier     | "    |
| (5) | James Whit      | "    |
| (6) | George W. Grier | "    |



7. Sylvester W. Crip Sandy Hook N.Y.  
(6) Francis M. . . . .

21. Have you been entitled for money,  
annuities, Lands or other benefits,  
if so, state where and where;  
and with what tribe of Indian?  
No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant  
should give the full English  
and Indian names if possible  
of their parents and grand parents  
back to 1895: parents: George W. Crip &  
Sarah E. Crip; grand parents: Carol Crip &  
Elisabeth Crip. Carol Crip is 1/2  
blood Cherokee Indian.

Remarks:

Appoint J. A. Tabor, J. Albany N.Y.,  
true and lawful atty. to prosecute  
this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing  
statements made by me are true  
to the best of knowledge and belief:

Signed, Marion Crip

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this Aug. 28<sup>th</sup> 1907.

My commission Exp. M. F. Buck  
Jan. 1, 1910.

Notary Public

Personally appeared before me - Carter M.  
York and Lu. Clayborne who being

duly sworn, on oath depose and say,  
that they are well acquainted with  
Marion Lewis, who makes the  
forgoing statements and have known  
him for 12 years and 18 years, respectively  
and know him to be the identical  
person he represents himself to be,  
and that the statements made by  
him are true to the best of their  
knowledge and belief and they  
have no interest whatever in  
his claim - } Carter M. York  
subscribed and } Lee Clayborne.  
sworn to before me.  
this Aug: 23<sup>rd</sup> 1907.

My Commission  
Expires Jan: 1910.

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

No. 40934. (37090)

Marion Crisp, being first duly sworn and examined,  
deposes and says:

My name is Marion Crisp; I was born in Floyd Co., Ken.;  
in 1878: I am thirty years of age: I claim my Indian blood  
through my father, George W. Crisp: I make no claim of Indian  
blood through my mother: my father was born in Monroe Co., Arkansas,  
1845: my father claimed his Indian blood through his father, Carrell  
Crisp: my grandfather was born in Cherokee Co., N. C.: I do not  
remember when my grandfather was born: I never saw my grandfather:  
my grandfather died when my father was about four years old (1847):  
my grandfather, Carrell Crisp, got his Indian blood from his father,  
Ansel Crisp: I do not know whether my great grandfather was born  
in Cherokee Co., or not, but I have been told that he came from  
Cherokee Co., with my grandfather to Arkansas: my grandfather and  
great grandfather through whom I claim were gun-smiths to the Indians:  
I have heard that my grandfather and great grandfather camped  
and lived with the Cherokee Indians a part of the time: none of  
the ancestors through whom I claim were ever held as slaves:  
neither I nor any of the ancestors through whom I claim ever were  
enrolled and never received any money or land that I know of:  
I have heard that one of my ancestors through whom I claim  
was called Horn: in 1851 my father through whom I claim lived in  
Elliot Co., Ken.: in 1835 I think my grandfather lived in Monroe  
Co., Arkansas: I have heard that my great grandfather ~~was~~  
Ansel Crisp, was a half Cherokee and I have heard this all my life:  
both I and my ancestors through whom I claim were always regarded  
as white people with an admixture of Cherokee Indian blood:  
I have heard that one of my father's brothers, Andrew Jackson  
Crisp, went to the Ind. Terr. and proved up his claim as an Indian  
and got his land: this was about thirty years ago:

Marion Crisp

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me, at Wilder, Tenn.,  
this 5th day of June, 1908.

H. A. K.

Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

No. 40935

Action: Reject

Name Savage G. Boles and

children.

Residence: Wilder, Penn.

Reasons:

Cousin of #38843, and claims through the same ancestors.



No. 45,356

Name .....

With No. 35,843

Remarks:

Range 1/2  
J. M. Hood

10035

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Savage & Bates*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*L. A. Tabor, Atty  
Albany N.Y.*

*58654*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No.  
Eastern Cherokee.  
application of.  
Savage G. Bolen.

Filed by  
J. R. Tabor  
Albany  
N.Y.



Special Commissioners of the Court of Claims  
601 Quay Building Washington D.C.

Sir:-

I hereby make application for such  
share as may be due me of the fund  
appropriated by the act of Congress  
approved June 30, 1906 in accordance with  
the decree of Court of Claims of May 18, 1905,  
and May 28, 1906 in favor of the Eastern  
Cherokees. The evidence of identity is  
here with submitted.

1 State full name

English name: Savage, V. Baker

Indian name: Pinney

2 Residence and Post Office: Kinder:

3 County: Fentress

4 State: Tennessee

5 How old are you? 23. Born: March 19th 1884  
6 Where were you born

Fentress County, Tenn.

7 Are you married? Yes.

8 Name and age of wife or husband  
Alice Baker. 17.

9 To what tribe of Indians does your wife belong?  
None.

10 Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906  
giving their ages

None

Age

Born

2

3

4

5-

6

11

Give name of your father and mother and  
your mother's name before marriage

Father's English name, Robert F. Bales.  
Indian name "

Mother's English name, Martha Bales.  
Indian name, Finley.

Maider's name, Martha Bales.

12 Where were they born? Father, in  
Iowa. Mother, in

Antwerp, Canada.

13 Where did they reside in 1851? During  
at that time? Father, in  
Antwerp, Canada. Mother, in

14 Date of death of your father and mother  
Father, living.

Mother, dec. about 1880.

15 Were they enrolled as soldiers or natives  
in the army or navy? If so state who, and  
with what rank & duration?

Not to my knowledge.

16 Name all your brothers and sisters giving  
ages and residence if possible

| Name              | Born | Died |
|-------------------|------|------|
| 1. Ellis A. Bales |      | Dec. |
| 2. Sarah B. Bales | 26   |      |
| 3. Mildred Bales  | 31   |      |
| 4. James B. Bales | 22   |      |
| 5. Mildred Bales  |      |      |

7 State English names and Indian names  
of Grand Parents on both father and mother  
side if possible

| Father's Side | Mother's Side              |
|---------------|----------------------------|
|               | John Bales                 |
|               | Mary Bales                 |
|               | Indian name: Mary - Hindey |

8 Where were they born?

9 How did they reside in 1851? & during  
at that time? in Benton County, Iowa

10 Give names of their children and residence if  
possible

|                    |               |
|--------------------|---------------|
| 1. Thomas J. Bales | Dec.          |
| 2. Elizabeth Bales |               |
| 3. Susanah Bales   | Mildred Bales |
| 4. Rebecca Bales   | Dec.          |





for: 16 years, and 20. years, respectively, and know  
him, to be the identical person he represents  
himself, to be, and that the statements  
made by him are true, to the best  
of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest, whatever in  
his claim. Signed } Callie Stevens  
Jerry M. Hood.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
23<sup>rd</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

My commission Exp.  
Jan. 1910:

M. F. Buck,  
Notary Public.

No. 40936

Action: *Reject*

Name

*Jerry M. Hood*

and

children.

Residence:

*Wilder, Penn.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #38843, and claim through  
the same ancestors.*

40936

No. 101936

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jerry M. Hood*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*F. A. Labor, Atty  
Albany N.Y.  
9E60H*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents \_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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No:  
Eastern Cherokees  
Application of  
Serg M. Hord.

Filed by  
S. J. [unclear]  
[unclear]  
[unclear]

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims  
601 Curray Building Washington D.C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the act of Congress approved June 7, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 19, 1905 and May 20, 1906 in favor of the Eastern Cherokee. The evidence of said title is herewith Subjoined.

1 State full name

English name: Mary M. Hood.

Indian name: Hinkley

2 Residence and Post Office: Wilder

3 County: Putnam

4 State: Iowa

5 How and when you were born: June 7, 1868

6 Where were you born?

in Putnam County Iowa

7 Are you married? No

8 Name and age of next of kin and how many

9 To what tribe of Indians does your name belong?

10 Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906 giving their names and ages

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2

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Go

Give name of your father and mother and  
your mother's name before marriage

Father's English Name: Jerry M. Hood.  
Indian Name:

Mother's English Name: Margaret J. Hood.  
Indian Name: Hinkley.

Maider " Margaret J. Skaggs.

2 Where were they born? Father:  
in Iowa. Mother: in  
Kentucky County: Iowa.

3 Where did they reside in 1851, & living  
at that time? Father: in  
Iowa. Mother: in  
Iowa.

Date of death of your Father and Mother:  
Father: about 1890.  
Mother: living

5 Were they married per money accounts,  
lands or other benefits? & so state when  
and with what title of Indians?  
Not to my knowledge.

16 Name all your brothers and sisters giving  
Ages and residence if possible

| Name                              | Born | Died |
|-----------------------------------|------|------|
| 1 Nancy C. Hood<br>Wilder, Tenn.  | 37.  |      |
| 2 Corwin S. Hood<br>Wilder, Tenn. | 35.  |      |
| 3 Henry M. Hood<br>Wilder, Tenn.  | 32.  |      |
| 4 Marion B. Hood<br>Wilder, Tenn. | 28.  |      |
| 5 Thomas H. Hood<br>Wilder, Tenn. | 21.  |      |
| 6 Sarah J. Hood<br>Wilder, Tenn.  | 18.  |      |

17 State English names and Indian  
names of Grand parents and Father  
Fathers and Mothers Side, if possible  
Fathers Side Mothers Side

John Reagan

Nancy Reagan

Indian name Nancy Finley

18 Where were they born in Tenn.

19 Where were they residing at 80. Sept  
during that time? in  
Fentress County, Tenn.

20 Give names of all their children and  
residence if possible

Thomas J. Reagan

Wilder

2 Elivaluth Cornater

Wilder

3 Susanah Bales

Wilder, Tenn.

4 Rebecca Spencer

Wilder



gal L. Pagan. Little Oak Inn.  
5- Andrew J. Pagan.  
Martha Bales. " " " "  
8- Margaret J. Hood. " " " " " "

21. Have you been enrolled for money  
Annuities land or other benefits?  
If so, state when and where and with what  
tribe of Indians?

22 To assist in identification, I should give  
the full English and Indian names if  
possible of their parents and grand  
grand-parents back to 1835, parents, grand-  
M. Hood & Margaret Hood, grand parent, John Pagan -  
Nancy Pagan, great grand parents, James Finley,  
Betsey Finley.

I appoint J. A. Tobert, of Albany, N.Y.  
My true and lawful atty to prosecute  
this claim, I solemnly swear that the  
foregoing statements made by me are true  
to the best of my knowledge and belief  
Subscribed and sworn to signed J. M. Hood.  
before me this 20th day of Aug: 1907:

My commission expires 1910: M. F. Bach, M.D.  
Personally appeared before me  
Almon Bales, and Collier Stevens,  
both being duly sworn  
and oath taken and say they are well  
acquainted with J. M. Hood.  
Both declare the foregoing application  
and statements, and have known him

for: 32 years and: 16 years respectively and know  
him to be the identical person he  
represents himself to be and that the  
statements made by him are true,  
to the best of their knowledge and  
belief and they have no interest  
whatever in his claim.

Signed } Herman Baker  
          } Collin Stearns

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this aug: 23<sup>rd</sup> 1907:

My Commission Exp.

Jan: 1910:

M. F. Buck.  
Notary Public.

No. 40937

Action: Rejected.

Name: Theo. J. Johnson and X children. Residence: Hobart, Ky.

Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 and Clarin, tho. same name.

40937

No. 40937-8  
Name *Thos J Johnson*  
With No. 40100

Remarks:

*Jack S Keen*



No. 30937

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Thos J. Johnson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*F. A. Labor, Atty,  
Albany N.Y.  
1897*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents

\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark. .

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No  
Eastern Cherokee  
Application  
of  
Bromley Johnson

Filed  
for  
Albany Ky

Special Commissioner of the Court  
of Claims 601 Curay Building  
Washington D.C.

Sir: I hereby make application for such  
share as may be due me of the fund  
appropriated by the act of Congress  
approved June 30 1906 in accordance  
with the decree of the Court of Claims of  
May 18, 1905 and May 28, 1906 in favor of the  
Eastern Cherokee. The evidence of  
identity is herewith submitted.

Name in full Thomas J. Johnson  
English name Thomas J. Johnson  
Indian name Cobler

Residence and post office Hobbes-  
County Chilton State Kentucky

How old are you, 17 Born April 28 1890

Where were you born Chilton Co. Ga.

Are you married No

Do you have a wife or husband

What tribe of Indians are you  
1) Sus. Cherokee  
2) ...  
3) ...  
4) ...  
5) ...  
6) ...  
7) ...  
8) ...

None



Give names of your father and mother and  
your mother's name before marriage

Father English name Jac A Johnson

Indian name name

Mother English name <sup>Mary</sup> Alabama Kien <sup>Johnson</sup>

Indian name Coble-

Maiden name Mary A. Kien-

Where were they born? C

Father Clinton Co Ky

Mother Clinton Co Ky

Where did they reside in 1851 if living at that  
time, Father Not Living

Mother " "

Date of death of your father and mother

Father Living Mother Living

Have they ever enrolled for money annuities, land  
or other benefits? If so state when and where  
and with what title of Indians No

Name all your brothers and sisters giving  
ages and residences if possible

Laura B Johnson Ky age not known

Kenneth L. Johnson " "

Frank A. Johnson " "

Fannie G. Johnson " "

Lila G. Johnson " "

Emma P. Johnson " "

State English and Indian names of your  
grandfather and grandmother  
and if possible

Our mother side it was said

do not know on father side

Where were they born Clinton Co. N.Y.  
Where did they reside in 1851 if known at  
that time Do not know  
Give names of all their children and residence if  
possible Can not

Have you ever been involved for money  
in matters, land or other benefits of a  
State or person and with what tribe of  
Indians No

Concerning identification, claimant should give the  
"all English and Indian names if possible of their  
parents and grandparents back to 1835"

Poor's Joe & John and Mary A. Johnson.  
Grand Parent Francis S. Keen, Nancy J. Keen  
Great Grand Parent Nathan Jones Nancy G. Jones  
Great Great Grand Parent Peter Jones, Elizabeth Cobb  
Jones

I appear to be a claimant of my land  
and have offered to execute this claim  
and hereby agreed to pay my said share  
(1/10) of such land as may be  
found to be in the premises and  
to be paid to my said

attorney by the Hon Special Commissioner  
of the U. S. Court of Claims  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing  
statements made by me are true to the  
best of my knowledge and belief

(Signature) Thomas J. Johnson  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
26 day of Aug 1907 My Commission Expires Feb 26 1910

Elza Ruthan Notary Public

Personally appeared before me  
and who being duly sworn  
on oath depose and say that they are well  
acquainted with who makes  
the foregoing application and statements  
and have known him for years &  
years respectively and know him to be  
the identical person he represents  
himself to be and that the statements  
made by him are true to the best of their  
knowledge and belief and they have no  
interest whatever in his claim

Ida E. Jarvis

Anna Ida Jarvis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26  
day of Aug 1907. My Commission Expires Feb 26 1910

Elza Ruthan Notary Public

No. 40938

Action: Rejected

Name Jack S. Keen and X children. Residence: Hobart, Ky.

Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 and claims the same source.



No. 10038

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

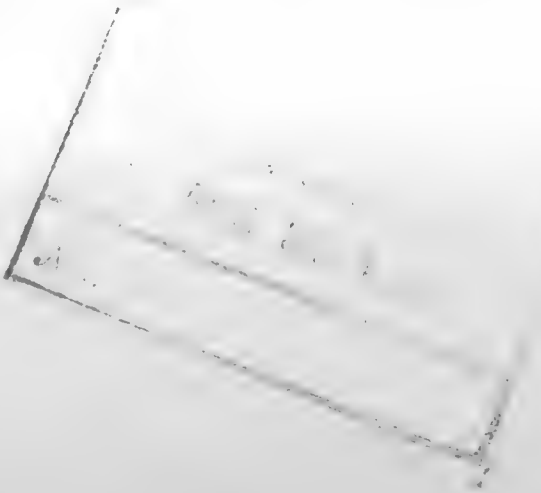
APPLICATION

OF

*Jack S. Keen*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*J. A. Tabor, Atty  
Albany N.Y.*  
38607

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No \_\_\_\_\_

Eastern Cherokee

Application  
of.

J. S. Kiser

County  
of  
Cherokee  
Ky.

Special Commissioner of the  
Court of Claims 601 Huray Building  
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such  
share as may be due me of the fund  
appropriated by the act of Congress,  
Approved June 30-1906 in accordance  
with the decrees of the Court of Claims  
of May 18-1906 and May 28-1906 in  
favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The  
evidence of identity is herewith  
subjoined.

State full name—  
English name Jack S. Keen  
Indian name Cable

2 Residence and Post Office: Neabolt—

3 County: Clinton County

4 State: Kentucky

5 How old are you? 21 years born June 14 1886—

6 Where were you born: Clinton Co, Ky, —

7 Are you married? No

8 Name and age of wife or husband: —

9 To what tribe of Indians does he or she  
belong? —

Name all your children who were living  
On May 28-1906 giving their ages  
Name



- |    | Name  | Age | Born. |
|----|---|-----|-------|
| 1  |   |     |       |
| 2  |   |     |       |
| 3  |   |     |       |
| 4  |   |     |       |
| 5  |   |     |       |
| 6  |   |     |       |
| 11 | <p>Give names of your Father and Mother<br/>and your Mother's name before marriage.</p> <p>Father - English name: Francis S Keen<br/>Indian Name: name</p> <p>Mother English Name: Jane Jervis Keen<br/>Indian Name: Coleb<br/>Maiden Name: Jane Jervis</p> |     |       |
| 12 | <p>Where were they Borne:</p> <p>Father: Cumberland County Kentucky<br/>Mother: Chilton County Kentucky<br/>Where did they reside in 1851 if living</p>   |     |       |
| 13 | <p>at that time</p> <p>Father: Cumberland County Ky.<br/>Mother: Chilton Co. Ky.<br/>Date of death of Father and Mother's<br/>Father: Living<br/>Mother: Living</p>   |     |       |

15 Were they ever enrolled for Money Grants  
land or other Benefits: If so state when  
and where and with what tribe of Indians  
No

16 Name all your Brothers and sisters giving  
Ages and Residences if possible:

| Name             | Born         | Residence | Died   |
|------------------|--------------|-----------|--------|
| 1 Elias C. Keen  | April 8 1863 | Unknown   | Living |
| 2 John C. Keen   | Sept 10 1866 | "         | "      |
| 3 Mary A. Keen   | May 6 1868   | "         | "      |
| 4 Laura C. Keen  | Feb 16 1870  | "         | "      |
| 5 Nannie E. Keen | July 29 1872 | "         | "      |
| 6 Sam E. Keen    | Sept 7 1874  | "         | "      |
| 7 Martha C. Keen | July 11 1877 | "         | "      |
| 8 Sarah L. Keen  | Sept 11 1879 | "         | "      |

17 State English and Indian name of your  
Grand parents on both Fathers and  
Mothers side if possible:

Fathers side

Mothers side

Waltham, Iowa

18 Where were they Born Kentucky

19 Where did they reside in 1851 if living  
at that time Clinton County Kentucky

Give names of their children and Residences  
if possible:

Names

- 1 John Jones
- 2 Samuel W Jones
- 3 Sam B. Jones
- 4 Nancy J. Keen
- 5 Peter Jones
- 6 Sally King

Albany, N.Y.  
Shipley "  
Shipley "  
Shipley "  
Shipley "  
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Shipley "

(21) Have you been enrolled for money annuities, land, or other Benefits; if so state when and where and with what tribe of Indians.

(22) To assist in Identification Claimant should give the full English and Indian names if possible of their parents and Grand parents Back to 836

Remarks.

I appoint F. G. Tabor of Albany N.Y. my true and lawful attorney to prosecute this claim and hereby agree to pay my said Attorney ten (10) percent of such sum as may be due me in the premises and direct same to be paid to my said Attorney By the Hon Union Miller: Special Commissioner of the U.S. Court of Claims. I solemnly swear that the foregoing statement made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief

Witness my hand and seal this 26 day of August 1907. My Commission Expires 10th 26 1910.  
Edza Rutham Natlony Rullie

*Affidavit:*

Personally appeared Before me  
Ida E. Jarvis and Amanda J. Jarvis  
Who Being duly sworn on oath depose  
and say <sup>that</sup> they are well acquainted with  
Jacob S. Keim who makes the  
Foregoing applications and statements  
and have known him for 15 years  
and 12 years respectively and know  
him to be the identical person  
Represents himself to be and that the  
statements made by him are true to  
the best of their knowledge and belief  
and they have no interest what ever in  
this claim

Ida E. Jarvis  
Amanda J. Jarvis

Witnesses to mark

Signature of witness

Subscribed and sworn to Before me this  
26 day of August 1907

My Commission Expires Feb 26 1910

Elza Buttram Nelson Public



No. 40939

Action: *Reprint*

Name *Mrs Maryophilin Files* and *3* children. Residence: *Ferd Road, Ala.*

Reasons:

*Niece to Franklin Park Nichols (39119) and  
claims through same line.*

No. 40939-40.

Name .....

With No. 40451

Remarks:

Mary C. L. Lee  
Thos W. George

No. 10059

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION  
OF

*Margherita Liles*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

FILED BY  
ANDERSON B. CAGLE  
CLAIM AGENT  
KONAWA, IND. TER.  
*Henry S. Matthews.*  
*David J. Bailey*  
*Griffin*  
*Ga.*

45739

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mrs. Mary Ophelia (George) Liles

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Level Road, Alabama.

3. County: Randolph

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 33 Born April 2nd 1874

6. Where were you born? Randolph County Alabama.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: W. J. Liles

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: James Marvin Liles—

|     | NAME.                      | AGE.             | BORN.                 |
|-----|----------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>James Marvin Liles</u>  | <u>Nearly 10</u> | <u>Oct 29th 1897</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Mera Jamie Liles</u>    | <u>7</u>         | <u>Feby 8th 1900</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Andrew Clardy Liles</u> | <u>1</u>         | <u>Jan 17th 1906.</u> |
| (4) | <u></u>                    | <u></u>          | <u></u>               |
| (5) | <u></u>                    | <u></u>          | <u></u>               |
| (6) | <u></u>                    | <u></u>          | <u></u>               |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

William Jackson George and Martha Jane (Nichols) George

Father—English name: William Jackson George

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Martha Jane (Nichols) George

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Martha Jane Nichols

12. Where were they born?

Father: Randolph County Georgia

Mother: Do not know Georgia—So I do not know



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both in Alabama

Father: Alabama

Mother: Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Dead - Died January 9th 1898

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| NAME.                          | BORN.                   | DIED.  |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--------|
| (1) William Henry George       | Nov. 4th 1860           | Living |
| (2) Nicholas Jackson George    | March 3rd 1862          | Living |
| (3) Thomas Noel George         | June 28th 1866          | Living |
| Francis Elie. (George) Harper  | May 24th 1869           | Living |
| (4) Marth Edna (George) Atkins | Sept 12th 1872          | Living |
| (5) Joseph Hop George          | 1876 . Died in infancy. |        |
| (6)                            |                         |        |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Benjamin George

No Indian name

Mrs. Happy George

No Indian Name

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Christopher (Kit) Nichols

No Indian Name

Martha Nichols

no Indian name

18. Where were they born? Mrs. Marth Nichols was born in Georgia. others- can't say

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Mrs. Marth Nichols lived in Alabama, her husband died in Georgia in 1849

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|                               |                                  |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) William Henry George      | Dead - Died in May 1898          |
| (2) Thomas Jackson George     | Dead - Died in 1892 or 1893      |
| (3) Christopher H. Nichols    | Living at Greenville Alabama.    |
| (4) E. H. (George) Nichols    | Dead - Died at Columbia Ga 1897  |
| (5) Susan (Nichols) Grace     | Dead - Died during the Civil War |
| (6) Marshall (Nichols) Brooks | Living at Greenville Alabama.    |

Mrs. Jane Nichols, George Died in 1898  
Francis D. Nichols, Cowart Living at Greenville Alabama.  
George Nichols --- Died when a young lady- was ever married.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Do not know the name of the father and mother of Christopher (Kit) Nichols. The father of Mrs. Martha Nichols was David (Peter) Davis and his wife Polly (Colwell) was her mother.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a great Grand daughter of David (Peter) Davis.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary. Ophelia. Liles

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

A. L. Jansen

Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 19<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. H. Pace

and

J. M. McMurray

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Mary Ophelia Liles

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

W. H. Pace

J. M. McMurray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

April 19<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

A. L. Jansen

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 21 1907  
No. 40939

~~To Bell Long Distance Telephones  
No. 1  
Office, No. 123~~

~~Post Office Drawer J.~~

~~David J. Bailey~~

~~Attorney at Law  
Merchant and Planters Bank Building  
Griffin, Ga.~~

Level Road  
Alabama.

November 11, 1907.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have forwarded receipt for my Indian claim filed  
with you bearing number 40739..... to David J. Bailey,  
Attorney at Law, Griffin, Georgia, and he will have direc-  
tion and charge of same for me, and I will thank you to  
mark same as filed by David J. Bailey, Attorney, Griffin,  
Georgia.

If any further information regarding this claim  
is required I will thank you to take up same with said  
Bailey.

Mary. Ofelia. Niles.  
11



No. 40940

Action:

Reject

Name

Thomas Mel George and 8

children.

Residence:

Levell Road, Ala.

Reasons:

Nephew to Franklin Park Nichols (39119) and  
Claims through same line.

No. 301410

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*Thos Noel George*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

**Filed by**

**David J. Bailey,**

**Attorney,**

**Griffin, Georgia.**

*Henry S. Matthews*

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Oury Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— **Thomas Noel George**  
English name: **Thomas Noel George**  
Indian name: **None**
2. Residence and post office: **Levell Road, Ala.**
3. County: **Randolph**
4. State: **Alabama.**
5. How old are you? **41** Born **June 28th—1866**
6. Where were you born? **Randolph County,**
7. Are you married? **Yes**
8. Name and age of wife or husband **Arrie Manda (Reeves) George**
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? **None**
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|                    | NAME.                  | AGE.                  | BORN.          |
|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| (1)                | Henry Bradford George  | 12 yrs.               | May 29-1905    |
| (2)                | Thomas William George  | 10 yrs 11mos 27days   | Sept. 1st 1899 |
| (3)                | James Winfred George   | 11 yrs 4mos -- 29days | Nov. 9th 1897  |
| (4)                | Frank Herbert George   | 8 yrs 8 mos 15 days   | Dec. 13th 1898 |
| (5)                | Charlie Nichols George | 6 yrs 11mos. 5 days   | Sept. 23-1900  |
| (6)                | Bird Reeves George     | 1 yr 3 mos 22days     | May 6-1906.    |
| (7) <del>(X)</del> | Jessie Lee George      | 5 yrs-8mos--22days    | Dec. 6th-1901. |
| (8) <del>(X)</del> | Sidney George          | 4 yrs 4 mos 28days    | Mch. 30-1903.  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

**William Jackson George and Marry Jane (Nichols) George**

Father—English name: **William Jackson George**

Indian name: **None**

Mother—English name: **Martha Jane (Nichols) George**

Indian name: **None**

Maiden name: **Martha Jane Nichols**

12. Where were they born?

Father: **Heard County Georgia**

Mother: **Oglethorp County Ga. so I am informed**

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Alabama.

Mother: In Ala.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Died Jany. 9th . 1898

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages and residence, if possible.

NAME.

BORN.

DIED.

(1) William Henry George

Nov. 4th. 1860

Living

Nichols Jackson George

March 3rd. 1862.

Living

(2) Thomas Noel George

June 28th. 1866

Living

Martha Edna George- Adkins

Sept. 12th. 1872

Living

(3) Mary Ofelia George- Liles

April 21st. 1874

Living

(4) Joseph Hop George

1876. Died in infancy.

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

~~Benjamin George~~ George

~~Christopher~~ Christopher (Kit) Nichols

No Indian name

No Indian Name

Mrs. Happy George

Martha Nichols

No Indian Name

No Indian name

18. Where were they born? Mrs. Martha Nichols was born in Ga. others can

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not say Mrs. Martha Nichols lived

in Alabama. her husband died in Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Thomas, Noel, George

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

A. C. Fausett

Notary Public.

My commission expires <sup>th</sup> April 19<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

A. W. Pace

and

N. E. Hester

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Thomas Noel George who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 2 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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N. E. Hester

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 4 1907  
No. 40940.

Claim # 40940.

Lovel Road, Ala

Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> 1907.

Hon Union Miller

601 Ouray Building

Washington D.C.

Sir:-

I desire my claim No 40940 to be marked as filed by David J Bailey, Atty. Griffin, Georgia and I respectfully ask that the enclosed typewritten slip be pasted on the claim. I would be pleased to know if this request meets with your approbation, at an early date.

Very Respectfully  
Thos Noel George.

App. No. 40940

October 4, 1907.

Thomas W. George,

Level Road, Alabama.

Sir:

In accordance with your request of October 2, 1907,  
David J. Bailey, of Griffin, Georgia, has been entered as your  
attorney of record.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA



No. 40941

Action: Rejected.

Name Benj. T. Brooks and 2 children. Residence: Asopalis, Okla

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestor ever enrolled.  
Was not established part of descent from a  
person who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 & 1846.

40941

No. 40941.

Name Benj. H. Brooks.

With No. 40941.

Remarks:

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 10941

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Benjamin F. Brooks*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 26, 1906.

6-624

*F.A. Snodgrass*  
*Krapchoe*  
*17847 OKla.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Benjamin F. Brooks  
Indian name: my grand father's mother is De Shaze an Indian

2. Residence and post office: I reside near Aropahs, Okla

3. County: Custer

4. State: O. Kea

5. How old are you? 38 Born in Scott county, Ark in

6. Where were you born? in Jan, 17th 1849, Scott co. Ark,

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Louisa M Brooks, was 49 yrs old Aug 9th 1907

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She belongs to none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| NAME.                               | AGE.           | BORN. |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|-------|
| (1) Emma Udara Wright               | 37 yrs         |       |
| (2) Sarah Emma Hargnes              | 36 yrs         |       |
| (3) Pleasant Sevier Brooks          | 29 yrs         |       |
| (4) Ann Eliza Brooks (now Barnhart) | aged 26 yrs,   |       |
| (5) Louisa Brooks (now Corsey)      | aged " 23 yrs, |       |
| (6) Francis Celine Brooks           | aged 21 yrs    |       |
| (7) Jennie Belle Brooks             | 17 yrs         |       |
| (8) Sallie D. Brooks                | aged 12 yrs    |       |
| (9) <del>Louisa</del> (9)           |                |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Father's name Benjamin F. Brooks, mother's name Irene Brooks, mother's name before marriage, Irene Couch

Father—English name: Benjamin F. Brooks

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Nashville, Tenn. Feb, 29th, 1819,

Mother: I think in Tenn. Died when I was very young.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: was living in Hopkins county, Texas

Mother: was in Hopkins county, Texas about 1851 or 1860

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died at Strong, Texas in 1876

Mother: Died in Hopkins county, Texas about 1851 or 1860

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Does not know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                                 | BORN.  | DIED.                        |
|-----|--------------------------------------|--|------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Elijah Brooks</u>                 | <u>about 1838</u>  | <u>about 1859</u>            |
| (2) | <u>George H. Brooks</u>              | <u>In 1840</u>   | <u>about 1876</u>            |
|     | <u>Elinor</u>                        | <u>about 1842</u>  | <u>in 1896</u>               |
| (3) | <u>Dave Brooks</u>                   | <u>in 1843</u>   | <u>Living</u>                |
| (4) | <u>Will Brooks</u>                   | <u>as about 48 yrs; was living when last heard from,</u> |                              |
| (5) | <u>Bailey Brooks</u>                 | <u>In 1861</u>   | <u>Died about</u>            |
| (6) | <u>Mary Jane Brooks (now Shears)</u> | <u>Born about 1864</u>                                   | <u>Suppose she is living</u> |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

English name of  
grand father, Daniel  
Brooks  
Grand mother, can't  
remember

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Peter Couch, my  
mother's father -  
can't remember name  
of mother's mother.

18. Where were they born? I think in Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? I think grandparents were dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|                                      |                               |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| my father, <u>Benjamin F. Brooks</u> | my mother, <u>Irena Couch</u> |
| (1) <u>Sallie Brooks</u>             | <u>Matt Couch</u>             |
| (2) <u>Dave Brooks</u>               | <u>Jamini Couch</u>           |
| (3) <u>Vandy Brooks</u>              | <u>can't recall others</u>    |
| (4) <u>Jane Brooks</u>               |                               |
| (5) <u>Rich. Brooks</u>              |                               |
| (6) <u>Mary Brooks</u>               |                               |
| <u>James Brooks</u>                  |                               |

Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: being attached to this application but same were removed too  
Eastern Cherokee

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents: Benjamin F. Brooks & Rena Brooks; grandparents, David Brooks & Brooks  
great grand parents - mother of my grandfather  
De Shone an Indian.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Benjamin F. Brooks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Aug., 1907.

Fred Burlingame  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

11 / 11, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. W. Hargues  
and J. A. Hargues, Jr. who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Benjamin F. Brooks  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Hargues, Jr.  
G. W. Hargues.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires

11 / 11, 1907. Fred Burlingame  
Notary Public.

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LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE  
TELEPHONE 240

BENJAMIN MARTIN, JR.  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,  
ROOM 8, TURNER BUILDING,  
208 1-2 NORTH MAIN ST.  
MUSKOGEE, INDIAN TERRITORY.

NOTARY AND STENOGRAPHER  
IN OFFICE

7/12/07

Mr. A.F. Snodgrass,  
Arapaho, Okla.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of recent date with reference to the Hargues brothers . Sometime ago there was a large appropriation made by congress for the benefit of the persons known as the east Cherokees and as I understand the payment will be made to certain Cherokees Indians and their descendants upon proof of hiership and other necessary information regarding the cherokee blood and descendants of the claimants which the government may require.

I do not understand that it is necessary that the beneficiaries must necessarily be enrolled Cherokees .

I f you will write to Hon. Dana H. Kelsey of this place he can no doubt give you the information you desire.

Please give the Hargues brothers my kind regards ,

Very truly yours,

*Benj. Martin*

*F. A. Snodgrass*  
*Attorney & Counselor*

*Williamson Stone Building*  
*Phone 38.*

*Arapaho, Okla.,* Aug., 24th, '07.  
Hon. Guion Miller, Special Commissioner of the court of Claims,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir :

Enclosed find five claims for filing before your department. In the Brooks application I have attached some old papers he failed to get filed in time for a prior enrollment.

I should be glad to have you tell me if I am at liberty to file supplementary proof on these claims at a later date than Aug., 31th. I have learned lately that the Hargues brothers some years ago submitted proof at Muskogee, I.T., as to their right to be enrolled and that same was denied on the grounds only that they were not born in the Indian Territory, and if I am permitted to send this proof later I shall do so.

Very truly yours,

*F. A. Snodgrass.*



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# Application for Cherokee Citizenship.

To the Honorable, the DAWES COMMISSION, Tahlequah, Indian Territory:

The undersigned Benjamin F. Brooks your petitioner, makes this his application for admission to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, in accordance with all the Treaties, the Constitution and laws of the Cherokee Nation, and precedents established and of record, and respectfully submits the following statement of facts for the grounds of his claim, to-wit:

That he is the son of one Benjamin F. Brooks and the Grandson of one David Brooks and the Great Grandson of one Dr. Shaze who, your petitioner firmly believes, was a Cherokee Indian by blood and duly acknowledged member of the Cherokee tribe of Indians, and from whom he derived his Cherokee Indian blood, entitling him to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

That his name and the name S of said ancestor S should be found to appear on the Census Rolls taken and made of Cherokees east of the Mississippi river, in the years, 1835, 1848, 1851, and 1852.

And your petitioner respectfully awaits the time this his application for admission, together with the proof in support thereof, shall be truly heard and passed upon.

That the age of your petitioner is 47 years; that his postoffice address is Tecumseh, O.T. and that his family, by virtue of Cherokee Indian blood, consists of the following named to-wit:

| No. | Names                  | Sex    | Age   | Relationship | Remarks |
|-----|------------------------|--------|-------|--------------|---------|
| 1   | Emma Udora Wright      | Female | 26    | Daughter     | married |
| 2   | Sarah Irene Hague      | "      | 25    | "            | "       |
| 3   | Pleasant Berrie Brooks | Male   | 18    | Son          |         |
| 4   | Ann Eliza Brooks       | Female | 15    | Daughter     |         |
| 5   | Louisa Brooks          | "      | 12    | "            |         |
| 6   | Frances Evaline "      | "      | 10    | "            |         |
| 7   | Jennie Belle "         | "      | 6     | "            |         |
| 8   | Sallie D. "            | "      | 1     | "            |         |
| 9   | Louisa M. "            | "      | 3 1/2 | wife         |         |

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand at Norman, O.T. this, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August, A. D., 1896.

Attest:

C. J. Ross  
[Signature]

Benjamin F. Brooks

Subscribed and sworn to before me at

Norman, O.T.  
this, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August, A. D., 1896.

B. F. Williams

Notary Public

[SEAL]



United States of America  
Territory of Oklahoma  
County of Cleveland,

SS.

In the case of Benjamin F Brooks claimant for citizenship  
in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, before Cherokee Indian author-  
ity at Tahlequah, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory;  
Personally came this day before me B. F. Williams a Notary Public  
within and for the County oforenamed duly authorized  
to administer oaths. Benjamin F Brooks to me personally  
well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being by me first duly sworn according to law,  
deposes and says: My name is Benjamin F Brooks  
my age is 47 years; my postoffice address is Tecumseh, Okla.  
; I am a farmer  
I am a citizen of the Cherokee Nation by occupation;

And affiant declares in relation to the above-named case as follows, to-wit:

I am a son of Benjamin F. Brooks who was a son  
of David Brooks whose mothers maiden name  
was De Shaze and who was a Cherokee  
Indian by blood. I was taught the  
above facts by my father who died in 1886.  
Benjamin F Brooks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of August, 1896.

B. F. Williams

Notary Public.

United States of America  
Territory of Oklahoma  
County of Cleveland

SS.

In the case of Benjamin F. Brooks claimant for citizenship  
in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, before Cherokee Indian author-  
ity at Tahlequah, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory:

Pereonally came this day before me B. F. Williams a Notary Public  
within and for the County aforementioned duly authorized  
to administer oaths. Benjamin F. Clay to me personally  
well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being by me first duly sworn according to law,  
deposes and says: My name is Benjamin F. Clay  
my age is 36 years; my postoffice address is Norman, O. T.  
; I am a Deputy U. S. Marshall by occupation;  
I am a citizen of the Cherokee Nation

And affiant declares in relation to the above-named case as follows, to-wit:

Benjamin F. Brooks, the above claimant is an  
uncle of mine. My mother is sister to said  
claimant. My mother and her father and other  
relations have always taught me that they  
were of Cherokee blood and descended from  
a Cherokee family named DeShaze.  
Benjamin F. Clay

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of August, 1896.

B. F. Williams  
Notary Public.

Unites States of America,  
Territory of Oklahoma,  
Pottawatomie County.

In the case of Benjamin F. Brooks, Claimant for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, before the Hon. Dawes Commission, Vinita, Indian Territory:

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority, Benjamin F. Brooks, who being duly sworn deposes and says; my name is Benjamin F. Brooks, my age is forty seven, my Post office address is Tecumseh, O. T. that the Registry receipt no, ninety nine (99) received from Post Master hereto attached, is receipt for a package which contained true copies of my application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, a copy of my affidavit and a copy of affidavit of Benjamin F. Clay.

Benjamin F. Brooks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 10th day of September,

A. D. 1896.

W. H. Eby

Clerk.

By J. M. Ruckn

Deputy.

United State of America,

Territory of Oklahoma,

Pottawatomie County,

In the case of Benjamin F. Brooks Claimant for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, before the Hon. Dawes Commission at Vinita, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory:

Personally came George W. Hargues to me personally known and after being duly sworn says that on August 31st, 1896, he saw a copy of the application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, a copy of the affidavit of Benjamin F. Brooks and a copy of the affidavit of Benjamin F. Clay, Registered at Norman Oklahoma, and addressed to the Gov. of Cherokee Nation, Talequah, Indian Territory. The original papers were at the same time Registered to Dawes Commission, at Vinita, Indian Territory.

George W. Hargues

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 10th, day of September, 1896.

W. H. Eby

Clerk,

By J. M. Rucker

Deputy.



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Appln. No. 40941.

June 4, 1908.

Henry F. Brooks,

Arapaho, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully.

HFB/ALO.

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 23 1908  
No. 40946

40941

Arapaho, Okla. June 15 1888.

Special Commissioner of the  
Court of Claims  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment  
201 Grand Building,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your  
letter dated June 4. I do not know why my  
parents and grandparents were never  
enrolled. My great grandfather on my father's  
side married a Cherokee Indian, whose  
maiden name was Deshaze, and she  
is the mother of my grandfather David  
Brooks, who is the father of my father  
Benja. H. Brooks. My father was  
born in 1819 near Nashville  
Tenn. and moved to Texas in 1849  
the year in which I was born. My  
grandparents resided in Tenn. in 1835 &  
my Great grandmother was dead at  
that time. None of my <sup>ancestors</sup> people were ever  
slaves. I pass as white in the community  
in which I live and elsewhere.

Very respectfully

B. H. Brooks

#40941.

Benj. F. Brooks.

Benj. F. Brooks being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Benj. F. Brooks, and I live at Arapaho, Okla. I am 59 years old. I claim my Cherokee Indian blood through my father, Jen. F. Brooks, Sr. He claimed to be 1/8 Cherokee. He died in 1876, at the age of 68. He was born in Nashville, Tenn. in 1819. My father lived in Tenn. until after he was grown, and he was married in Tenn. I do not know whether my father mixed up with the Indians back in Tenn. It was before my time. My father never got any money from the Government in 1852. My father got his Indian blood through his father, David Brooks. I do not know whether David Brooks was enrolled or not. Neither did I ever hear anything about his life among the Indians, or whether he lived among them at all. He lived and died in Tenn. I have heard my neighbors call my grandfather the old Cherokee. And in some ~~trouble~~ trouble in which my father figured, and for which they tried to arrest him, he showed considerable pluck, and they said that showed the Indian in him. I knew two so called Cherokee Indians by the name of Green and Cooper, which I heard you refer to a while ago in taking the testimony of John Hargues.

Benj. F. Brooks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day  
of Oct. 1908, at Clinton, Okla.

J. E. Taylor  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.



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No. 40942

Action: Rejected

Name John W. Hargues and 3 children. Residence: Veale, Okla.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled with  
Eastern Cherokee.  
It is claimed that grand mother "Peggy Russell" was enrolled  
the only "Peggy Russell" enrolled is an Old Settler roll.  
Was not established fact of <sup>being</sup> descendant from a person  
who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 and 1846.

40942

No. 40942.

Name John W. Hargues

With No. For Arapaho

Remarks: Grouped Lurmitte

are nos. 40943, 40944,  
41371.

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Awaiting reply to letters.

No. 40842

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John M. Hargues*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John W. Hargues

Indian name: Peggy Russell, Enrolled Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Ueak

3. County: LeFlore

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 48 Born May 12, 1869

6. Where were you born? LeFlore County, Mo

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lina Hargues

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She belonged to none  
I belong to the Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.                  | BORN.       |
|-----|----------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Kulia Hargues</u> | <u>Born Feb. 24th</u> | <u>1902</u> |
| (2) |                      |                       |             |

|     |                       |                       |             |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| (3) | <u>Willie Hargues</u> | <u>Born Jan. 26th</u> | <u>1905</u> |
| (4) |                       |                       |             |

|     |                       |                            |                          |
|-----|-----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| (5) | <u>Hulda Hargues</u>  | <u>Born April 13th, 06</u> | <u>Died July 21st 07</u> |
| (6) | <u>Jimmie Hargues</u> | <u>Born May 7th</u>        | <u>1907</u>              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Abner Hargues

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Jane (Medlock) Hargues

Indian name: Russell

Maiden name: Jane Medlock

12. Where were they born?

Father: LeFlore Co. Mo.

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Webster county, Mo

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Denton, Texas in 1868

Mother: " " " 1868

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Can not say

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                       | BORN. | DIED.  |
|-----|-----------------------------|-------|--------|
| (1) | James A Hargues             | 1852  | Living |
|     | G. W. Hargues               | 1857  | Living |
| (2) | Jamini Hargues (now Strong) | 1877  | Living |
|     | Henry Hargues               | 1854  | 1867   |
| (3) | Frank Hargues               | 1856  | 1871   |
| (4) | Sarah C Hargues             | 1861  | 1871   |
|     | Mary A. Hargues             | 1863  | 1887   |

(6)

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Hargues

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Peggy Russell,  
an enrolled Eastern  
Chero kee Indian  
as shown by record  
at Muscogee

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                              |                             |
|-----|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | Father's name, Abner Hargues | Mother's name, Jane Melloch |
| (2) | Abner Hargues                | William Melloch             |
| (3) | Frank Hargues                | Chas Melloch                |
| (4) | John Hargues                 | Ruth Melloch                |
| (5) |                              | Betsy Melloch               |
| (6) |                              |                             |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: *Applied for Enrollment  
refused because we were not born in  
the established township as records at Muskegon  
bear out*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of  
their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*a Cherokee Indian of J. J. Russell*

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*Our grand mother Peggy Russell  
is an enrolment*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnessed to signature (Signature) *John H. Hargues*  
*yes in 1895*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24th* day of *Aug* 1907.

*Shirman Schaffner* *Fred Burlingame*  
My commission expires *11/11*, 1909. Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*Benjamin F. Brooks*  
and *W. A. McFarlane*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *John H. Hargues*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *for 30* years and

*20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *who* represents

*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Benjamin F. Brooks*  
*W. A. McFarlane*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24th* day of *Aug*

My commission expires

*11/11*, 1909. *Fred Burlingame*

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

John W. Hargues.

#40942.

John W. Hargues being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is John W. Hargues, and I live at Osceola, Okla. I am 50 years old. I claim my Cherokee Indian descent through my mother, Jennie Matlock, or Madlock, or Matlock. My mother died in 1868. I was born in Webster County, Mo. My mother was about 40 or 45 at the time of her death. She died in Tex. I do not know where she was born; all my people came from Mo. that I know of. My mother got her Indian blood through her mother, Peggy Russell. I do not know when or where Peggy Russell was born and she died before my time. I suppose she was in Mo. at one time, and I think she came from the east somewhere. I have always heard it said in the family that my grandmother was enrolled, but this is only hearsay. I have heard my mother speak several times of my grandmother, Peggy Russell, and she said that she was 1/2 Cherokee Indian. I have also heard her speak of the Indians coming to visit Peggy Russell at her house. I do not know if Peggy Russell visited the Indians. I never heard of Peggy Russell ever getting any money from the Government in 1852. It is possible though that she could have gotten it without my hearing anything about it. I never heard anything about Peggy Russell's parents. I do not know of her having any other name. We have applied for land and money under the 1852 commission, but on account of our not having resided here a sufficient length of time we were not allowed. In the community in which I live I am recognized as having Cherokee Indian blood in my veins. I wish to offer in connection with my claim to participate in this fund the affidavit of J. B. Green, marked exhibit A, and the affidavit of J. B. Cooper, marked exhibit B. In case no. 38 G. W. Hargues and others Vs. Cherokee Nation, same being filed herewith ~~marked~~ under date of Sept. 11, 1907. These affidavits and the further certified matter accompanying them, I respectfully submit as showing further and conclusive testimony on my grandmother, Peggy Russell's rights following the treaties of 1835-6 and since. I am advised that deponents referred to were themselves recognized Cherokee Indians.

*John W. Hargues*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Oct. 1908, at Clinton, Okla.

*J. E. Taylor*  
Asst. to Special Com.  
Court of Claims

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9.  
No. 40942.

June 4, 1908.

John W. Hargues,

Weak, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846? Were any of your ancestors ever slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WJH.



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Adm. J. H. Case  
Court of Cl.

TAHLEQUAH, CHEROKEE NATION, I.T., July 21, 1896.

Before the Hon. "Dawes Commission" sitting at Vinita Ind. Terry.  
in the hearing and determining of claims for Indian citizenship in  
the five civilized tribes of the Indian Territory, in the case of,

G. W. Horgues

J. W. Horgues

J. A. Horgues.

V.S.

The Cherokee Nation.

Claim for

Cherokee Indian Citizenship.

Comes now the Plaintiffs in the above cited cause and presents  
their three (3) respective applications, and two (2) pages and parts  
of pages of testimony in affidavit form in support of their claim  
and submit the same without argument--

Respectfully,

G. W. Horgues - J. W. Horgues & J. A. Horgues

By their attorney,  
Rasmus & Ghormley.

APPLICATION FOR CHEROKEE CITIZENSHIP.

To the Honorable, the DAWES COMMISSION, Tahlequah, Indian Territory:

The undersigned G. W. Hargues your petitioner, makes this his application for admission to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, in accordance with all the Treaties, the Constitution and laws of the Cherokee Nation, and precedents established and of record, and respectfully submits the following statement of facts for the grounds of his claim, to-wit:

That he is the son of one Jane Hargues and the grand son of one Peggy Russel and the \_\_\_\_\_ of one \_\_\_\_\_ who, your petitioner firmly believes, was Cherokee Indian by blood and duly acknowledged member of the Cherokee tribe of Indians, and from whom he derived his Cherokee Indian blood, entitling him to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

That the name of said ancestor should be found to appear on the Census Rolls taken and made of Cherokees east of the Mississippi river, in the years, 1835, 1848, 1851, and 1852.

And your petitioner respectfully awaits the time this his application for admission, together with the proof in support thereof, shall be truly heard and passed upon.

That the age of your petitioner is 30 years; that his postoffice address is Tecumseh O.T. and that his family, by virtue of Cherokee Indian blood, consists of the following named to-wit:

| No. | Names          | Sex | Age | Relationship | Remarks |
|-----|----------------|-----|-----|--------------|---------|
| 1   | Callie Horgues | F   | 7   | Daughter     |         |
| 2   | Mony Harguis   | "   | 5   | "            |         |
| 3   | Mary Harguis   | "   | 3   | "            |         |

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at Tahlequah Ind. Ter. this, the 10th day of July, A.D., 1896.

(Signed) G.W.Hargues

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Tahlequah, I.T. this, the  
10th day of July A.D., 1896.

Attest:

(Signed) M.O. Ghormley,

Notary Public.

Northern Dist. I.T.

( S E A L )

My com ex. Jan 16th - 99.

APPLICATION FOR CHEROKEE CITIZENSHIP.

To the Honorable, the DAWES COMMISSION, Tahlequah, Indian Territory:

The undersigned John W. Horgues your petitioner, makes this  
his application for admission to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation,  
Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, in accordance with  
all the Treaties, the Constitution and laws of the Cherokee Nation,  
and precedants established and of record, and respectfully submits  
the following statement of facts for the grounds of his claim, to-wit:

That he is the son of one Jane Horgues and the grand son of one  
Peggy Russell and the \_\_\_\_ of one \_\_\_\_ who, your petitioner firmly  
believes, was Cherokee Indian by blood and duly acknowledged member  
of the Cherokee tribe of Indians, and from whom he derived his Chero-  
kee Indian blood, entitling him to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation,  
Indian Territory.

That the name of said ancestor should be found to appear on the  
Census Rolls taken and made of Cherokees east of the Mississippi  
river, in the years, 1835, 1848, 1851, and 1852.

And your petitioner respectfully awaits the time this his ap-  
plication for admission, together with the proof in support thereof,  
shall be truly heard and passed upon.

That the age of your petitioner is thirty eight years; that his  
postoffice address is Arapahoe O.T. and that his family, by virtue  
of Cherokee Indian blood, consists of the following named to-wit:



| No. | Names                | Sex | Age | Relationship | Remarks. |
|-----|----------------------|-----|-----|--------------|----------|
| 1   | John W. Horgues Jr.. | M   | 7   | son          |          |

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at Tahlequah, I.T. this, the 10th day of July, A.D., 1896.

(Signed) J. W. Hargues.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Tahlequah Ind. Ter. this, the 10 day of July A.D., 1896.

(Signed) M. O. Ghormley.

Attest:

Notary Public.

Northern Dist. I.T.

( S E A L )

My com ex. Jan. 16th 99.

#### APPLICATION FOR CHEROKEE CITIZENSHIP.

To the Honorable, the DAWES COMMISSION, Tahlequah, Indian Territory:

The undersigned J.A.Horgues your petitioner, makes this his application for admission to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, in accordance with all the Treaties, the Constitution and laws of the Cherokee Nation, and precedants established and of record, and respectfully submits the following statement of facts for the grounds of his claim, to-wit:

That he is the son of one Jane Hargues and the grand son of one Peggy Russell and the \_\_\_\_\_ of one \_\_\_\_\_ who, your petitioner firmly believes, was Cherokee Indian by blood and duly acknowledged member of the Cherokee tribe of Indians, and from whom he derived his Cherokee Indian blood, entitling him to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

That the name of said ancestor should be found to appear on the Census Rolls taken and made of Cherokees east of the Mississippi river, in the years, 1835, 1848, 1851, and 1852.

And your petitioner respectfully awaits the time this his application for admission, together with the proof in support thereof, shall be truly heard and passed upon.

That the age of your petitioner is 45 years; that his postoffice address is Arapahoe O.T. and that his family, by virtue of Cherokee Indian blood, consists of the following named to-wit:

| No. | Names             | Sex    | Age | Relationship   | Remarks                      |
|-----|-------------------|--------|-----|----------------|------------------------------|
| 1   | Duchie Horgues    | Female | 19  | Daughter       |                              |
| 2   | Dinkie M. Harguis | "      | 16  | "              |                              |
| 3   | J. A. Harguis Jr. | Male   | 13  | Son            |                              |
| 4   | Mock H. Harguis   | "      | 11  | "              |                              |
| 5   | Ider Hargins      | Female | 9   | Daughter       |                              |
| 6   | George Harguis    | Male   | 7   | Son            |                              |
| 7   | Vann Hargues      | "      | 5   | "              |                              |
| 8   | Tommie Harguis    | "      | 2   | "              |                              |
| 9   | Annie Sebastian   | Female | 2   | grand daughter | Daughter of Maggie Sebastian |
| 10  | Maggie Sebastian  | "      | 21  |                |                              |

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at Tahlequah, I.T. this, the 10th day of July, A.D., 1896.

(Signed) J. A. Hargues.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Tahlequah Ind. Ter. this, the 10th day of July A.D., 1896.

(Signed) M.O.Ghormley,

Attest:

Notary Public.

Northern Dist. I.T.

( S E A L )

My com ex. Jan 16th - 99.

United States of America

Indian Territory

Northern District

SS.

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In the case of G.W. & J.A. & A.W. Horgues claimants for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, before United States authority at Tahlequah, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory:

Pereonally came this day before me M.O. Ghormley, a Notary Public within and for the State & Dist aforementioned duly authorized to administer oaths R. Green to me made personally well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being by me first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says: My name is R. Green, my age is 52 years; my postoffice address is Tecumseh O.T; I am a farmer by occupation; I am a citizen of the United States. And affiant declares in relation to the above-named case as follows, to-wit:

I was acquainted with Peggy Russell, I knew her in the State of Mosurrie and in Green County, about twenty miles east of Springfield. She always claimed to be Cherokee indian, about one fourth, she married a man by the name of Wm. Mattock, she had by such marriage four children namely, Jane & Betsy & Vina & Isaac Mattock. Jane Mattock married Abner Horgues, Jane Horgues is the mother of the applicants. There was an old indian preacher that used to come and visit Peggy Russell, she (Peggy Russell) come from Georgia, she looked like and resembled the indians. This was about 44 or 45 years ago.

(Signed) R. Green.

Subscribed to and sworn before me this the 10th day of July 1896.

(Signed) M.O. Ghormley,  
Notary Public.

Northern Dist. I.T.

( S E A L )

My com. ex. Jan. 16th 99.

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G. W. Horgues,  
J. W. Horgues,  
J. A. Horgues

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Cherokee Nation.

Filed Aug. 1, 1896.

(Signed) H. M. Jacoway

Secy.

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Rejected.

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Jas. A. Winston  
Clerk.

Rasmus & Ghormley Attys.  
Tahlequah, I.T.



United States of America |  
Indian Territory | SS.  
Northern Dist. |

" G. W. B. "  
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In the cases of G.W., J.A. and A.W.Hargues claimants for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, as a Cherokee Indian by blood, before United States authority at Tahlequah, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory:

Personally came this day before me M. O. Ghormley a notary Public within and for the State & Dist. aforementioned duly authorized to administer oaths J. B. Cooper to me made personally well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being by me first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says: My name is J. B. Cooper; my age is 62 years; my postoffice address is Anderson O.T.; I am a farmer by occupation; I am a citizen of the United States. And affiant declares in relation to the above-named case as follows, to-wit:

I was well acquainted with Jane Mattock the mother of the applicants, she was the daughter of Peggy Russell, who married Wm. Mattock, I was acquainted with them in Green County Mosouri, twenty miles north of Springfield Mosouri. Peggy Russell always claimed to be a Cherokee indian, about one fourth, she claimed she was borned and raised in the State of Georgia in the old Cherokee Nation. I have also seen the Cherokee indians visiting her, I have seen one indian that would come there every other year and preach for them, and claimed her to be his own cousin. She from her looks showed to be about one fourth Cherokee indian, she had a son named Isaac Mattock Betsy and Vina were her daughters, with Jane Mattock. Jane Mattock married a man named Abner Horgues who is the father of the applicants.

(Signed) J.B.Cooper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 10th day of July 1896.

(Signed) M.O.Ghormley,

Notary Public.

Northern Dist.I.T.

My com. ex. Jan. 16th 99.

( S E A L )

CITIZENSHIP DOCUMENT RECEIPT.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,  
CHEROKEE NATION.

TAHLEQUAH, INDIAN TERRITORY, July 20, 1896.

Received from Rasmus & Ghormley copies of the following documents, to-wit:

3 applications for Cherokee Citizenship  
Affidavits (4 pages).

Case No. 24.

certified to by S.S. Boyles, Notary Public, as true and correct copies of the originals, and constituting all of the testimony submitted to the Dawes Commission in support of the claim of J. A. Horgues, John W. Horgues, & G.W. Horgues, for Cherokee citizenship.

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, CHEROKEE NATION,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.

By John L. Adair.

BEFORE THE HONORABLE HENRY L. DAWES, FRANK C. ARMSTRONG,  
A. S. MCKENNON, T. B. CARANISS & A. B. MONTGOMERY,  
COMMISSIONERS.

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In the matter of application of

J. A. Horgues

Nation's No. 24.

John W. Horgues

G. W. Horgues

Commission's No. \_\_\_\_\_.

for citizenship in the Cherokee  
Nation.

-----oOo-----  
Your respondent, S.H. Mayes, principal Chief of the Cherokee  
Nation, comes now and demurs the said application, and for grounds  
thereof says:

1st. That this commission has not jurisdiction over the  
parties or subject matter of this controversy, and no legal right  
therefore to hear and determine the same.

2nd. That the application does not state facts sufficient  
if true to show that the applicants are entitled to citizenship.

Respondent not waiving his aforesaid demurrer, but insisting  
upon the same for answer to said application says that Peggy Russell  
through whom the petitioner claim to derive right to citizenship in  
the Cherokee Nation is not now, and has not been a citizen of the  
Cherokee Nation since the removal of said Nation west to the Indian  
Territory as at present located and defined; that his name does not  
appear on any of the authenticated rolls of said Nation, that neither  
he nor any of his ancestors now reside, or ever has resided in the  
Cherokee Nation and Indian Territory.

Having fully answered, your respondent asks to be hence dis-  
missed.

S. H. Mayes Prin Chief C. N.  
By Hutchings, Hastings & Boudinot, Attys.

John L. Adair, Ex. Sec. of Cherokee Nation, having been first  
duly sworn states that the matters contained in the foregoing answer  
are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

(Signed) John L. Adair.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 26 day of Aug. 1896.

(Signed) D. J. Ball.

Notary Public.

( S E A L )



Endorsed on envelope:

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G.W.Horgues,

J.W.Horgues,

J.A.Horgues,

v.s.

Cherokee Nation

Claimant for Cherokee Citizenship.

8/1/96

9/18/96 Rejected.

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Jas.A. Winston  
Clerk.

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Clerk.

No. 14.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Vinita, Indian Territory, October 12, 1896.

|                    |                                     |
|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| G.W.Horgins, et al | Filed August 1, 1896, Answer filed, |
| vs.                | Application denied.                 |
| Cherokee Nation.   | Tahlequah, Ind. Ter.                |

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I, H.M.Jacoway, Jr., Secretary, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of Cherokee Record A page 3, of The Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Given under my hand and official signature this  
the 5 day of Feb. 1897.

(Signed) H.M.Jacoway, Jr.  
Secretary.

Received of H.M.Jacoway, Jr., Secretary to The Commission to the  
Five Civilized Tribes, the original papers, in the cause of  
\_\_\_\_\_ vs. \_\_\_\_\_ Nation, as follows:

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Muscogee this the 12 day  
of Feb. 1897.

(Signed) J.A.Winston

Clerk.

( S E A L )



United States of America

Indian Territory.

G.W.Horgues,  
J.W.Horgues, Plaintiffs.  
J.A.Horgues

v.s.

Cherokee Nation Defendant.

In the United States District Court  
for the Northern Dist. of the Ind.Ter.  
sitting at Muscogee I.T.

To Hon W.M.Springer Judge of the United States District Court  
Northern Dist. Ind.Ter.

Your petitioner G.W.Hargues J.W.Hargues and J.A.Hargues,  
respectively represent - That on or about the 1st day of August A.D.  
1896, in compliance with the law they filed there application sep-  
arately but attached together for Cherokee Citizenship in the Cherokee  
Nation Ind. Terr. before the Honorable Dawes Commission at Vinita  
Ind.Ter. setting up the following substantive facts verified by af-  
fidavits as the grounds entitling them to Cherokee Citizenship in  
said Nation to-wit-

Petitioner G.W.Hargues alleges that he is son of one  
Jane Hargues and Grand son of Peggy Russel who your petitioner firmly  
believes was Cherokee indian by blood and duly acknowledged member  
of the Cherokee tribes of indians and from whom he derives as well  
as J.W. and J.A.Hargues Cherokee blood entitling him to Citizenship  
in the Cherokee Nation Ind. Ter. and are 30 &c years of age and there  
respective families names are to-wit- G.W.Hargues.

1 Callie Hargues, Female - 7 -Daughter

2 Mary " " 5 "

3 Nancy " " 3 "

and John W. Hargues family is

1 John W. Hargues - Male - 7 years - son

and J. A. Hargues family

1st Duchie Hargues - Female Age 19 Daughter

2 Dinkie M " " 16 "

3 J.A. " Male 13 Son

4 Mock H. " " 11 "

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Clerk.

|    |                 |   |    |                |
|----|-----------------|---|----|----------------|
| 5  | Ida Hargues     | F | 5  | D              |
| 6  | George "        | M | 7  | Son            |
| 7  | Vann "          | " | 2  | "              |
| 8  | Tommie "        | " | 2  | "              |
| 9  | Annie Sebastian | F | 2  | grand daughter |
| 10 | Maggie "        | " | 21 |                |

Petitioners states that on the Oct 12 A.D. 1896 the said applications of Petitioners come to be heard before said Commission That said Commission denied petitioners the right to a proper hearing as required by law Petitioner state that the decision of said Commission was contrary to the evidence

That the decision of said Commission was contrary to the law-

That the decision of the Commission was contrary to both the law and evidence

Petitioners state that the said Commission erred in this-

1st That they failed to render any findings of fact in passing upon petitioners applications

2nd That said Commission failed to give there conclusions of the law in passing upon said applications-

3d That said Commission failed and refused to enter any final judgment in the said cases as required by law

Wherefore petitioners ask to be heard herein and they have judgment established in there rights to Cherokee Citizenship for ourselves and above mentioned families and for all proper relief.

(Signed) M.O.Ghormley,

Atty.

Cherokee Case.

Citizenship Case No. 38

G.W.Hargis et al

vs.

Cherokee Nation.

SUMMONS.

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May 6 1897

Jas.A.Winston  
Clerk.

Watts Garland & Watts

Attys. for Claimants.

Service accepted

(Signed) William T. Hutchings,

one of the Attys for

Cherokee Nation.

By

U.S. Marshal.

Deputy.



S U M M O N S.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, |  
INDIAN TERRITORY, | SS.  
NORTHERN DISTRICT. |

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
TO THE MARSHAL FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT, INDIAN TERRITORY:

You are commanded to summon the Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, or the Attorney General of said Nation, to answer on the first day of the next May Term of the United States Court for the Northern District, Indian Territory, at Muskogee, Indian Territory, being the 4th day of May A.D. 1897, a petition praying an appeal from the decision of the Dawes Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes duly filed in said Court by G.W.Hargis et al who claim to be entitled to be enrolled as citizens of said Nation, to the United States Court for the Northern District, Indian Territory, which petition is now pending in said Court, and warn him that upon a failure to answer said petition within thirty days from the time of the service of this writ, the same will be taken for confessed, and you will make due return of this summons within ten days after the actual service of this writ.

Witness the Honorable William M. Springer, Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof; at Muskogee, Indian Territory, the sixth day of May A.D. 1897.

(Signed) J. A. Winston, Clerk.

In the United States Court for the Northern District of  
the Indian Territory, sitting at Muskogee.  
G. W. Hargues et al,

vs.

Cherokee Nation.

No. 38

Mr. N. A. Gibson, Special Master to whom this case was re-  
ferred, submits the following report:

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT IN THE INDIAN TERRITORY,  
NORTHERN DISTRICT, AT MUSKOGEE.

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G. W. HARGUES ET AL -

VS #38. : REPORT OF SPECIAL MASTER.

THE CHEROKEE NATION. -

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I, N. A. Gibson, Special Master, respectfully show to the Court that under the order of reference heretofore made I have examined the proof and pleadings in this cause, which are herewith filed and made a part hereof, and that I find as follows:

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That this cause was instituted on August 1, 1896, at which time application was made to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for citizenship by blood in the Cherokee Nation of Indians. That the cause was tried by said Commission and the application denied, no reason being given for the decision, on August 12, 1896, and that the claimants appealed therefrom to this court on December 12, 1896.

II

That this application was made by G. W. Hargues and his children Callie, Mary and Mony Hargues; by John W. Hargues and his child John W. Hargues Jr., and by J.A.Hargues, his children Duchie, Dinkie M., J.A.Jr., Mock H., Ider, George, Vann and Tommie Hargues, and his grandchildren Annie and Maggie Sebastien. All of said claimants residing in Oklahoma Territory.

That said claimants base their contention of a right to Cherokee citizenship upon the fact that they are the sons of Jane Har-

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v

Cherokee Nation

Final Report of

Special Master

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Jas. A. Winston

Clerk



gues, who was the daughter of Peggy Russell, who is said to have been a Cherokee Indian.

### III

That the claimants file in support of their application the affidavits of R. Green and J.B.Cooper, who state that they knew Peggy Russell in the State of Missouri, near Springfield, and that she claimed to be a Cherokee Indian, and that she had been born and raised in Georgia; and also state that she was sometimes visited by an old Indian preacher.

### IV

The claimants contend that under the law applicable to this case, they are entitled to be enrolled as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, upon the proof introduced by them of the Cherokee blood of their grandmother; while the Cherokee Nation contends that the claimants having failed to show that Peggy Russell has ever been enrolled or recognized as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, they are not entitled to be admitted to citizenship in that Nation.

The premises considered, I find that the proof is not sufficient to sustain the contentions of the claimants that Peggy Russell, the ancestor through whom they claim, was ever enrolled or recognized as a member of the Cherokee Nation, or that she was a Cherokee Indian by blood.

I respectfully ask that the Court will allow me a reasonable fee for my services as Special Master herein.

Respectfully submitted this 11 day of Sept, 1897.

(Signed) N. A. Gibson

My Fee Paid-

Special Master.

No exceptions filed-

BY THE COURT.

The claimants in this case base their right to be enrolled as citizens of the Cherokee Nation upon the fact that they are Cherokees by blood. It appears, however, that they are residents of the Territory of Oklahoma, and they even fail to establish the fact that they are Cherokee Indians. The judgment of the United States Commission rejecting this case is affirmed, and the application of claimants to be enrolled as citizens of the Cherokee Nation is denied.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

*[Signature]* This is to certify that I am the officer having custody of the records pertaining to the enrollment of the members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, Creek and Seminole Tribes of Indians and the disposition of the land of said tribes, and that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the record in the matter of the application to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes of G. W. Hargues, et al., for admission to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation under the provisions of the Act of June 10, 1896.

January 6, 1908.

*[Signature]*  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

By *[Signature]* Clerk

Images

No. 40943.

Action: *W. C. C. C.*

Name *Geo. W. Vazquez* and *5* children. Residence: *Arapahoe, C. K. C.*

Reasons:

*Brother of #40942.*

40943

No. 40943-4.

Name .....

With No. 40942

Remarks:

Geo. W. Hargrave

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No. 40943

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*George W. Hargues*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.          | AGE.       | BORN. at   |
|-----|----------------|------------|--|
| (1) | Mary Hargues   | 13 yrs.    | Paulsvalley, Ok.<br>in January, 1892<br>Born at Tennessee. |
| (2) | Mary Hargues   | 13 yrs     | Born near arapo  |
| (3) | Henry Hargues  | 8 yrs      | Born near arapo  |
| (4) | Jesse Hargues  | 6 yrs      | Born near ar   |
| (5) | Alfred Hargues | 1 1/2 yrs. |  |
| (6) |                |            |  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wabasca county, Missouri

Mother: Wabasca county Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died at Denton Texas in spring of 1888,

Mother: " " " " " fall of 1888.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Do not know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                       | BORN. | DIED.            |
|-----|-----------------------------|-------|------------------|
| (1) | James A. Hargues            | 1852  | Living           |
|     | J. W. Hargues               | 1857  | living           |
| (2) | Jamini Hargues (now Strong) | 1871  | living           |
|     | Henry Hargues               | 1854  | died about 1867. |
| (3) | Frank Hargues               | 1856  | died in 1871.    |
|     | Sarah C. Hargues            | 1861  | died in 1871     |
| (4) | Mary A. Hargues             | 1863  | died in 1887,    |
| (5) |                             |       |                  |
| (6) |                             |       |                  |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Hargues

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Peggy Russell, as we  
have always been taught an  
enrolled Eastern Cherokee  
Indian, and we refer  
commissioners to record at  
Muskogee as to this fact,

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Father's name, abner Hargues

(1) Abc Hargues

(2) Frank Hargues

(3) John Hargues

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

mother's name Jane Matlock

William Matlock

Ike Matlock

Ruth Matlock

Betsy Matlock



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: *Applicant for enrollment, proved his ship direct as records would bear out, but enrollment was refused because I was not born in Indian Territory*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *Parents, Abner Hargues & Jane Hargues, maiden name Medlock*

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*I, together with my brothers went to Muskogee, Et., where we proved our right to Eastern Cherokee land and our application was refused because we were not born in the Indian Territory. See record of evidence there x*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *George Hargues*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24th* day of *aug* 1907.

My commission expires

*11 / 11*, 1908.

*Fred Burlingame*  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Sherman Sebastian*  
and *P. H. Remison*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
that they are well acquainted with *George W. Hargues*  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *18* years at  
*35* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents  
*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Sherman Sebastian*  
*P. H. Remison*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24th* day of *august*, 1907.

My commission expires

*11 / 11*, 1908.

*Fred Burlingame*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Geo. W. Hargues.

# 40943

Geo W. Hargues being further duly sworn deposes and says

That he was present at Talhequah, Okla. then I. T. in 1896, when the testimony was taken there in behalf of his own claim and that of his brother, J. A. J. W. Hargues, and that he in company with his attorneys Rasmus and Gohmley examined the old Cherokee Indian record at that time and place and that the name of his grandmother, Peggy Russell, appeared on the Indian roll there in three different places, to his own certain knowledge.

Further affiant says that some few years after the testimony of R. Green and J. B. Cooper, which appear in evidence herein, that the brother of the affiant with another party went to Muskogee then in T.T. at which time the testimony of one Russell a cousin of my grandmother, Peggy Russell, and who himself claimed to be a Eastern Cherokee Indian, gave his testimony in reference to the claims herein mentioned, which to the same effect in substance as the affidavits of the said Green and Cooper herein referred to.

*Geo W Hargues*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Oct. 1908, at Clinton, Okla.

*J. E. Taylor*  
Asst. to special commissioner  
Court of Claims.

Geo. W. Hargues.

#40943.

Geo. W. Hargues being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Geo. W. Hargues, and I live at Arrapaho, Okla. I am 43 years old. I am the brother of John W. Hargues, who has just testified. I have heard his testimony, and it is substantially true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I knew R. Green and J. B. Cooper referred to as having made affidavits filed under the Dawes Commission, and which now form part this record. Green was a recognized Cherokee Indian and Cooper was even nearer a full blood than Green. They were both old men, and they lived in the Indian Territory and were recognized members of the Cherokee tribe. Green is dead and I think that Cooper is also.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Oct. 1908, at Clinton, Okla.

Asst. to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 40943

*Chas. L. L.*

DEC 9 1907





Dear Sir,

My dear Sir,  
I am, Sir, S. R.

I received  
a notice from the tell-  
ing me that my con-  
tribution for the particu-  
lar in the fund  
arising from the con-  
tributions of the  
and in favor

Geo W Hargnes

of the Eastern Cherokee  
I had been acknowledged  
and I am very glad  
to know whether  
we are going to get  
our right established  
or whether the land  
will be distributed.

The no. of my applica-  
tion was 4090's and will  
be soon to be  
settled and we are  
waiting for the  
out of our claims  
and how soon.

Very Respectfully  
Geo. W. Hargnes,  
Cherokee Agent.

No. *H0944*

Action: *Reject*

Name *Gemma A. Hargues* and *1* children. Residence: *Marid, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Sister of H0942.*

No. 10941

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Gemma Hargues.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*P. G. Lueders*  
*Amphibian*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Herman Abram Strahm  
English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: Herman Abram Hargraves  
2. Residence and post office: Mand Okla  
3. County: Pottawatomie  
4. State: Okla  
5. How old are you? 39 years Born 1868  
6. Where were you born? Denton Pottaw. Denton Co  
7. Are you married? yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Hiram A Strahm 49 years  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                        | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Olivia Ann Strahm</u>     | <u>21</u> | <u>1886</u> |
| (2) | <u>Hiram Anderson Strahm</u> | <u>19</u> | <u>1888</u> |
| (3) | _____                        | _____     | _____       |
| (4) | _____                        | _____     | _____       |
| (5) | _____                        | _____     | _____       |
| (6) | _____                        | _____     | _____       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Abram Hargraves  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Eliza Hargraves  
Indian name: O. Mallock  
Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Denton Kansas  
Mother: State of Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: dont know

Mother: Peggy

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April 1868

Mother: Sept 1868

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: dont know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                    | BORN.            | DIED.         |
|-----|--------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>James Hargrett</u>    | <u>dont know</u> | <u>Living</u> |
|     | <u>John Wesley</u>       | <u>" "</u>       | <u>" "</u>    |
| (2) | <u>George Washington</u> | <u>" "</u>       | <u>" "</u>    |
| (3) |                          |                  |               |
| (4) |                          |                  |               |
| (5) |                          |                  |               |
| (6) |                          |                  |               |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

dont know

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Peggy Rusk

18. Where were they born? dont know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? dont know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) dont know

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: don't know

impossible my mother and father died while I was an infant

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness  
J. R. Smith  
J. R. Smith

(Signature) Bermima Ahmer Shahr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

L. J. Sommar  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 15

1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. R. Smith

and Geo. E. Truscatt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Bermima Ahmer Shahr

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and

2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

+ J. R. Smith  
+ Geo. E. Truscatt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 15

1910

L. J. Sommar

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 9 1907  
No. 40944

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Dec 3 - 1907

M. S. Court of Claims

Dear Sir I wish to ask  
if the Eastern Cherokee  
enrollment application No  
40944 has been placed  
on roll or not

Gemma. Abner Strasser

Strasser

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 28 1908  
No. 40944

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Grand Opening  
Sept 28 1881

Wash. Union Bldg

Principals  
and 150 to 200  
of the students of the  
off. building

St. Andrew  
St. Andrew

No. 40,945

Name Flora Ann C. Neil

Action: Reject

Reasons: Father and grand. father through whom she claims Cherokee descent were

and 2 children. Residence: Arapaho, Okla.

not enrolled in 1835 nor in 1851. In a letter to the Commissioner dated June 30, 1908 claimant states that her Grand Father, David Medlock through whom she claims, left North Carolina and moved to Kentucky about the year 1832 - and lived in that State until about 1852 - when they moved to Missouri. If he left North Carolina in 1832, he was surely not a party to the treaty of 1835-6. No evidence to show recognition of claimant or her ancestors with or by the Eastern Cherokees at the time of the treaty of 1835-6 or since. Claimant refused to appear for examination, but failed to appear.

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No. 40943.

Name Flora Ann O'Neil.

With No.

Remarks:

Notified & offered  
at Boston, but failed  
to do so.

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Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 40945

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Flora Ann Melloch (Maid)*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Flora Ann O'Neil; my maiden name Flora Ann Medlock  
Indian name: Medlock or Malocha

2. Residence and post office: Wapahola Oklahoma

3. County: Custer

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 33- Born Aug. 18th, 1872

6. Where were you born? Shannon County, Mo

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. S. O'Neil

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong? he belongs to none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                       | AGE.     | BORN.                 |
|-----|-----------------------------|----------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Edward Daniel O'Neil</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>Sept. 28/1901,</u> |
| (2) | <u>John Calvin</u>          | <u>4</u> | <u>Aug 22 1903</u>    |
| (3) |                             |          |                       |
| (4) |                             |          |                       |
| (5) |                             |          |                       |
| (6) |                             |          |                       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Silas Henderson  
son Medlock was my father; Saloma Medlock, her name before marriage, Saloma Summers

Father—English name: Silas Henderson Medlock

Indian name: I am Tughi it was spelled Madlocka

Mother—English name: Summers

Indian name: No Indian name

Maiden name: Summers

12. Where were they born?

Father: Near Greensboro, Ky

Mother: I do not know her place of birth.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dent county, Mo.

Mother: Do not know

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April February 18th, 1888

Mother: Aug 28th, 1872

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Were not enrolled to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|                                       | NAME.               | BORN.            | DIED.                         |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| (1)                                   | Edward B. Medlock   | Feb. 13th, 1867. | Living at Clinton, O. Mo.     |
| (2)                                   | Calvin Adam Medlock | July 8th, 1870.  | Living at Pleasant Ridge, Mo. |
| Half-brothers - my father's children: |                     |                  |                               |
| (3)                                   | Elizabeth Medlock   | May 21th, 1880.  | Living at St. Louis, Mo.      |
| (4)                                   | Emily Medlock       | July 1st, 1882   | Rolla, Mo.                    |
| (5)                                   | Lula Medlock        | Sept. 1884       | Rolla, Mo.                    |
| (6)                                   | Eva Medlock         | Sept. 1893       | Pleasant Ridge, Mo.           |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

|                                | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.    |
|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Eng. name                      | David Medlock  | Adam Summers      |
|                                | Rachael Adams  | Jennie Stoncipher |
| Indian name of my grand father | Matlocha, the  | No Indian name    |

18. Where were they born? My grandfather Medlock or Matlocha was born in North Carolina and educated there in Indian school where his name was changed to Medlock

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Dent & Shannon county, Mo.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                                    |                     |
|-----|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| (1) | My father, Silas Henderson Medlock |                     |
| (2) | Dolphus Medlock                    | In Missouri         |
| (3) | Luther Medlock                     | In Indian Territory |
| (4) | Doxie Medlock                      | In Missouri         |
| (5) |                                    |                     |
| (6) |                                    |                     |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Indian name Matlocha  
changed in Indian school in North Carolina to  
David Medlock Grand father called it a missionary  
school

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
father always taught me that grandfather Matlocha was an  
Eastern Cherokee Indian who attended missionary school  
in North Carolina. Even after marriage and saving life and  
would not settle down on land

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Flora Ann Medlock

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Aug, 1907.

E M Cowles

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 8, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Chas. E. Noyes

and L. L. Covin

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Flora Ann Medlock

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 28 years and

9 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Chas. E. Noyes  
L. L. Covin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March 8, 1908. E M Cowles

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Appln. No. 40945.

June 4, 1906.

Flora Ann O'Neal.

Arapaho, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state way you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

Very truly yours,

Very respectfully,

Special Agent in Charge.

W/MS.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JUL 6 1908  
No. 40945

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Groster Co., June 30, 1907.  
Special Commissioner of Court Claims  
Eastern Cherokee Band  
Washington, D.C.,

Sir: In reply to yours of date  
in regard to my name were  
never recorded, I think it was  
because of ignorance on the part  
of the aborigines. They lived so isolated  
in the unsettled parts of country.

I can not say whether they  
were parties to the treaties of 1735  
and 1746 or not.

The ancestor through whom I  
claim was David Medden, who  
came from North Carolina in  
a boat the year 1732 to Kentucky  
and there resided until about  
1752 when he came to Missouri.

There has been none recorded  
in the past few generations.



we pass as white.

I know of no other information  
unless I succeed in finding a  
genealogy of the Medlock family,  
a book of some which was handed  
down to the eldest son of David  
Medlock, but is now misplaced.

However I shall make further  
effort if I can, for the book and  
what ever information I can  
find.

Yours Truly,

Elisha Bruce Child,

Wester,

Conn.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 1 1909  
No. 40945

In Case no. 40945 Flora Ann Medlock, Ornel.

Independence, Okla. April 26, 1909.  
Hon. Isuion Miller  
Specil Commr. Washington D.C.  
Kind Sir:-

I send here with two affidavits made by my Uncles, sons of my grandfather--David Medlock. Through whom I claim indian right. It has been very difficult for me to find my relations as I was raised so far from home, and I think I have relatives about Tallequah who are all dead, on <sup>role</sup> ~~role~~, but I being a woman of a family and of very limited circumstances have been unable to see them or to get their address.

My Attorney here thinks that you know of those Medlocks and that you have learned of the relation I hope you have or that you

can. If not, and if it is not  
too late, for me to you to  
consider evidence please let  
me know:-

Trusting you will kindly  
consider this. I am yours Truly-

Mrs. Flora (Anne) Medlock Cecil  
Case No. 40845.

Independence,  
Guster County. C. H. an



COURT OF CLAIMS.  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 1 1909  
*No.*

In Re Application NO. 40945, Flora Ann Hedlock O'Neil.

State of Kansas :  
: ss.  
Jackson County, :

William H. Hedlock and Luther S. Hedlock, each for himself, on his oath, deposes and says with reference to the above claim as follows: That the above named claimant claims through her ancestor, David Hedlock, who was the Grand-father of claimant; that the age of said David Hedlock would be, if living, about one hundred and five years; that the said David Hedlock was born in Abbeyville District, South Carolina, and that he was raised there; that the father of said David Hedlock was named Nathaniel Hedlock and the mother of said David Hedlock was (maiden name) \_\_\_\_\_ Henderson; that the brothers and sisters of said David Hedlock was and are named as follows: William Hedlock, John Hedlock, Silas Hedlock ~~Gray~~, Nancy Hedlock <sup>Gray</sup>, Absalom Hedlock, Tom Hedlock and Ison Hedlock, the three last named being half-brothers; that the said David Hedlock was married to Rachael Adams; that his childrens names and ages are as follows; Lucy Hedlock, whose age, if living would be about eighty years, John Hedlock, whose age, if living would be about seventy eight years, Juretta Hedlock Pitt, whose age if living, would be about seventy six years, David Hedlock, whose age, if living, would be about seventy four years, Nathaniel Hedlock, whose age, if living, would be about seventy two years, James Hedlock, who died in infancy, Walter Smith Hedlock, whose age, if living, would be about seventy years, William H. Hedlock, age sixty eight, Silas Henderson Hedlock, whose age, if living, would be about sixty six, Doctor Owen Hedlock, who died in infancy, Dicy Hedlock, whose <sup>years,</sup> age, if living, would be about sixty five years, Rodolphs Hedlock, age about sixty years, Luther S. Hedlock, age fifty eight years and Doric

Medlock Norris, whose age is about fifty five years; that the said David Medlock crossed the Mississippi River in 1852; that the said David Medlock was not enroled as a member of the Tribe of the Eastern Cherokee Indians; that affiant verily believes that the said David Medlock left the state of South Carolina in about the year 1835 and prior to the enrolment; that the said David Medlock claimed to be one-sixteenth Eastern Cherokee Indian Blood; that affiant verily believes all of the above statements to be true although some of them are necessarily hearsay. And further affiant saith not. So help him God.

William H. Medlock

Luther S. Medlock

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of April, 1909.

L. P. Woodfin

Notary Public, Jackson County, Kansas.

My commission expires July 12, 1911.

No. 40946

Action: Requested

Name:

Stella H. Wilkinson and 1 children.

Residence:

Kingsport Tenn

Reasons:

Claims Chas. Phoebe News.  
See report n# 3297.



No. 40946

Name E. H. H. H. Wilkins

With No. Hubbard file

Remarks :

No. 10076

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**HUBBARD CLAIM.**  
APPLICATION

OF  
**Estelle H. Wilkinson, and**  
**her minor child**  
**Cleyanna Wilkinson,**

**Knightstown, Ind.**  
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Attorney for Applicants,  
**Jno. J. Hubbard,**  
**Afton, I.T.**

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me <sup>and my minor child,</sup> of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Estelle H. Wilkinson.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Knightstown.

3. County: Henry.

4. State: Indiana.

5. How old are you? 37 years old. Born March 20th. 1870.

6. Where were you born? Knightstown, Henry County, Indiana.

7. Are you married? yes:

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: Aubrey C. Wilkinson. 37 years old.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                      | AGE.                     | BORN.                   |
|-----|----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Clayanna Wilkinson.</u> | <u>3 years 2 9 mths.</u> | <u>Oct. 29th, 1902.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Nil.</u>                | _____                    | _____                   |
| (3) | <u>Nil.</u>                | _____                    | _____                   |
| (4) | <u>Nil.</u>                | _____                    | _____                   |
| (5) | <u>Nil.</u>                | _____                    | _____                   |
| (6) | <u>Nil.</u>                | _____                    | _____                   |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Charles S. Hubbard.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha W. Hubbard.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha White.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Milton. Wayne County, Indiana.

Mother: Salem, Washington County, Indiana.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Raysville... Indiana.

Mother: Raysville, Indiana.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: June 2nd, 1908.

Mother: Living.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                       | BORN.           | DIED. |
|-----|---|-----------------|-------|
| (1) | Francis T. Hubbard,<br>Benton Harbor, Mich. | Jan. 9th, 1852. |       |
| (2) | Mary Alice Lowder,<br>Dakota, Iowa.         | June 8, 1854.   |       |
| (3) | Ella Hubbard,<br>Chicago, Ill.              | May 31st, 1858. |       |
| (4) | Elizabeth T. Hubbard,<br>Knightstown, Ind.  | Dec. 8th, 1867. |       |
| (5) | Nil.  |                 |       |
| (6) | Nil.  |                 |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Richard J. & Sarah Hubbard, son of

Jeremiah Hubbard, the son of

Anna Hubbard, nee Crews, daughter of

Phoebe Crews, nee Phoebe Dutch.

18. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Reservation east of Mississippi River, in the State of North Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Richard J. & Sarah Hubbard, resided at Raysville, Ind. others all deceased.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Caroline Painter, nee Hubbard, Spiceland, Ind.
- (2) Emily Thompson, nee Hubbard, Little Rock, Arkansas.
- (3) Anna Ratcliff, nee Hubbard, New Castle, Ind.
- (4) Others were, Edwin, Margaret, Charles, Harriet, Joseph.
- (5) George, Henry, Julia and Phoebe, all deceased.
- (6)



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Charles S. Hubbard, son of Richard J. Hubbard, son of Joseph & Anna Hubbard, nee Anna Crews, daughter of Hardy & Phoebe Crews, nee Phoebe Dutch, fullblood Cherokee Indian woman.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See evidence in "Hubbard Claim" this application made a part thereof. I hereby constitute and appoint  
Mr. J. Hubbard, my true and lawful attorney.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Estelle H. Wilkinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

R. H. Manning

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 16<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. F. Ayres

and

Edmund Littlewood

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Estelle H. Wilkinson.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 37 years and

37 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. F. Ayres

Edmund Littlewood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

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R. H. Manning

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 420947

Action: Reported

Name: Mrs. J. Hubbard and ✓ children.

Residence: Centon, Harrison, Mich.

Reasons:

Claims Thru Throckburns.  
See report m# 3097

No. 40947

Name. Charles H. Haid

With No. 11/16

Remarks :

10047

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

### HUBBARD CLAIM. APPLICATION

OF

*Francis Hubbard*  
1829  
Charles S. Hubbard, dec'd,  
By his son,  
Francis T. Hubbard,

Newton Harbor, Mich.  
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Jno. J. Hubbard, Attyr. I.T.  
Attorney for Applicant.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Charles C. Hubbard, Deceased, June 2, 1906.

Indian name: Application by his son, Francis T. Hubbard,

2. Residence and post office: Benton Harbor.

3. County: Barrier

4. State: Mich.

5. How old ~~was he~~ Seventy six years Sept 1st, 1829

6. Where ~~was he~~ born? Milton Wayne Co., Ind.

7. ~~Are you~~ was married?

8. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~ Martha Hubbard, nee White.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None  
his

10. Name all ~~your~~ children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|         | NAME.                          | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|---------|--------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| # 40957 | (1) <u>Francis T. Hubbard,</u> | <u>55</u> | <u>1852</u> |
| # 40950 | (2) <u>Mary Alice Lowder,</u>  | <u>53</u> | <u>1854</u> |
| # 40948 | (3) <u>Ella Hubbard,</u>       | <u>51</u> | <u>1856</u> |
| # 40949 | (4) <u>Elizabeth Hubbard,</u>  | <u>40</u> | <u>1867</u> |
| # 40940 | (5) <u>Estella Wilkinson,</u>  | <u>27</u> | <u>1870</u> |
|         | (6) <u>Nil.</u>                |           |             |

11. Give names of ~~your~~ father and mother, and ~~your~~ mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Richard J. Hubbard,

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Sarah Hubbard,

Indian name:

Maiden name: Sarah Swain.

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina,

Mother: North Carolina,

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Raysville, Indiana.

Mother: Raysville, Indiana.

14. Date of death of ~~his~~ father and mother:

Father: about 1870.

Mother: about 1850.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Think not. do not know.

16. Name all ~~his~~ brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| NAME   | BORN. | DIED. |
|--|-------|-------|
| (1) <u>Erwin, Margaret, Harriet, Phoebe,</u><br><u>Joseph, George, Henry, Julia. all deceased.</u> |       |       |
| (2) <u>Caroline Painter, nee Hubbard,</u><br><u>Spiceland, Ind.</u>                                |       |       |
| (3) <u>Emily Thompson, nee Hubbard,</u><br><u>Little Rock Arkansas.</u>                            |       |       |
| (4) <u>Anna Bateliff, nee Hubbard,</u><br><u>New Castle, Indiana.</u>                              |       |       |
| (5) _____  |       |       |
| (6) _____  |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of ~~your~~ grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

1 Jeremiah Hubbard, son of

2 Anna Hubbard, nee Crows.

3 Phoebe Crows, nee Phoebe Dutch.

18. Where were they born? All born on the old Cherokee Reservation N. Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Richard J. Hubbard, son of Jeremiah Hubbard, son of Anna Hubbard nee Crews, daughter of Phoebe Crews, nee Phoebe Dutch, a full blood Cherokee Indian woman.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Filed in and made a part of the Hubbard Claim.

See evidence therein. I hereby constitute Jno. J. Hubbard,

Afton, I.T. my true and lawful attorney.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Francis T. Hubbard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of July, 1907.

Warren Carroll

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 4th, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Fred S. Hopkins

and

Frank X. Durr

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Francis T. Hubbard

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Fred S. Hopkins

Frank X. Durr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

May 4th, 1910.

Warren Carroll

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40948.

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Eliza Hubbard* and *✓* children.

Residence: *1510 N. Dearborn St. Chicago, Ill.*

Reasons:

*Harris Thro. Throckmors.*  
*See report in 1897.*



No. 4094T

Name Ellen Hubbard

With No. Hubbard file

Remarks :

No. 101113

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Ellen Hubbard,

In Hubbard Claim,

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Jno. J. Hubbard,  
Arton, I.T.

82604  
Applicant.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ellen Hubbard.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: 1500 American Trust Building, Chicago.

3. County: Cook

4. State: Illinois.

5. How old are you? 51 years Born May 31st, 1856.

6. Where were you born? Knightstown, Ind.

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nil.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Nil.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.      | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Nil</u> |      |       |
| (2) | <u>"</u>   |      |       |
| (3) | <u>"</u>   |      |       |
| (4) | <u>"</u>   |      |       |
| (5) | <u>"</u>   |      |       |
| (6) | <u>"</u>   |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Charles S. Hubbard.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha W. Hubbard.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha White.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Milton, Wayne County, Indiana.

Mother: Salem, Washington County, Indiana.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Rayssville, Indiana.

Mother: Rayssville, Indiana

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Nil.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Francis T. Hubbard,</u><br><u>Benton Harbor, Mich.</u>    |       |       |
| (2) | <u>Estelle H. Wilkinson,</u><br><u>Knightstown, Indiana.</u> |       |       |
| (3) | <u>Mary Alice Lowder</u><br><u>Dacota City, Iowa.</u>        |       |       |
| (4) | <u>Elizabeth T. Hubbard,</u><br><u>Knightstown, Ind.</u>     |       |       |
| (5) | _____  |       |       |
| (6) | _____  |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Richard J. Hubbard, son of  
Jeremiah Hubbard, son of  
Ann Hubbard nee Crews, the daughter  
of Phoebe Crews nee Dutch.

18. Where were they born? On the old Cherokee Reservation, North Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Richard J. Hubbard, I think  
lived at Rayssville, Indiana.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Children of Richard J.  
(1) Edwin, Margaret, Charles, Harriet, Joseph, George,  
(2) Henry, Julia and Phoebe, Deceased.  
(3) Caroline Painter, nee Newby, nee Hubbard, Spiceland, Ind.  
(4) Emily Thompson, Little Rock, Arkansas.  
(5) Anna Ratcliff, New Castle, Indiana.  
(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Nil.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Charles S. Hubbard, Richard J. Hubbard, Jeremiah Hubbard, Anna Hubbard, Phosbe Crews, nee Dutch a full blood Cherokee Indian woman.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See evidence filed in Hubbard claim of which this application is made a part. I hereby constitute and appoint Jno. J. Hubbard, of Afton, T.T. my true and lawful attorney

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

Ella Hubbard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of July, 1907.

Raymond Kirk  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

August 23 —, 1908

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John J. Corcoran  
and John Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ella Hubbard  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 years, and two years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John J. Corcoran  
John Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 23 —, 1908

Raymond Kirk  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40949

Action: Resisted

Name Elizabeth S. Hubbard and ✓ children.

Residence: Kingston Ind.

Reasons:

(Claims Thos. Phoebe Cross.  
See report in #3297.

No. 40949

Name Elizabeth T. Hultala

With No. Hultala file

Remarks :

No. 10949

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

HUBBARD CLAIM  
APPLICATION

OF

Elizabeth T. Hubbard,  
Knightstown, Ind.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Attorney for Applicant,

Jno. J. Hubbard,

Afton, I.T.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Elizabeth T. Hubbard.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Knightstown.

3. County: Henry.

4. State: Indiana.

5. How old are you? 39 years Born Dec. 8th, 1867.

6. Where were you born? Knightstown, Ind.

7. Are you married? no.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nil.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Nil.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: Nil.

|     | NAME.       | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Nil.</u> |      |       |
| (2) | <u>Nil.</u> |      |       |
| (3) | <u>Nil.</u> |      |       |
| (4) | <u>Nil.</u> |      |       |
| (5) | <u>Nil.</u> |      |       |
| (6) | <u>Nil.</u> |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Charles S. Hubbard.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha W. Hubbard.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha White.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Milton. Wayne County, Indiana.

Mother: Salem, Washington, County, Indiana.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Raysville, Indiana.

Mother: Raysville, Indiana.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: June 2, 1903.

Mother: Living.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| NAME.   | BORN.                  | DIED. |
|---|------------------------|-------|
| (1) <u>Francis T. Hubbard.</u><br><u>Benton Harbor, Mich.</u> | <u>Jan 8th. 1852.</u>  |       |
| (2) <u>Mary Alice Lowder.</u><br><u>Dakotah, Iowa.</u>        | <u>Jan. 6th. 1854.</u> |       |
| (3) <u>Ella Hubbard.</u><br><u>Chicago, Ill.</u>              | <u>May 31st. 1856.</u> |       |
| (4) <u>Estelle Wilkinson.</u>                                 | <u>Nov. 20. 1870.</u>  |       |
| (5) <u>Nil.</u>   |                        |       |
| (6) <u>Nil.</u>   |                        |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Richard J. & Sarah Hubbard.

Richard J. was the son of Jeremiah.

He the son of Anna Hubbard, nee

Crews, the daughter of Phoebe Crews, nee Dutch.

18. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Reservation East of Mississippi River, North Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Richard J. & Sarah Hubbard, Raysville, Henry County Indiana. others deceased.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Caroline Painter, nee Hubbard, Spiceland, Indiana.  
(2) Emily Thompson, nee Hubbard, Little Rock, Arkansas.  
(3) Anna Ratcliff, nee Hubbard, New Castle, Indiana.  
(4) Edwin, Margaret, Charles, Harriet, Joseph, George, Henry.  
(5) Julia and Phoebe, all deceased.  
(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Charles S. Hubbard, son of Richard J. Hubbard, son of Anna Hubbard nee Crews, daughter of Phoebe Crews, nee Phoebe Dutch, a fullblood Cherokee Indian woman.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See evidence filed in Hubbard Claim, this application is made a part. I hereby constitute and appoint Jno. J. Hubbard, Atton. I.T. my true and lawful attorney.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Elizabeth S. Hubbard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

R.H. Manning

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 16<sup>th</sup>, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. F. Ayres

and

Edmund Littlewood

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth T. Hubbard,

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 39 years and 39 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. F. Ayres

Edmund Littlewood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

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R.H. Manning

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40950

Name. Samuel Thos. Thos. and 2 children.

Action: Refused

Reasons:

Sam Thos. Thos. Thos.  
see report in 2217

Residence: Wapata St. 700

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No. 40950

Name Mary A. Luder

With No. 1st hard file

Remarks :

*New*  
No. 10050

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**HUBBARD CLAIM.**  
APPLICATION

OF  
Mary Alice Lowder, nee Hubbard,  
and her two minor children

Frank Lowder, and

Leroy S. Lowder,

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Attorney for Applicant,

Jno. J. Hubbard,

Afton, I.T.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
**601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me <sup>and my two minor children,</sup> of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Alice Lowder, nee Hubbard.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Dakota City.

3. County: Humbolt.

4. State: Iowa.

5. How old are you? 52 years. Born Jan. 8, 1854.

6. Where were you born? Revsville, Indiana.

7. Are you married? yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Matthew S. Lowder, age 57 years.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.             | BORN.                  |
|-----|--------------------------|------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Florence Lowder,</u>  | <u>23 years</u>  | <u>June 5th, 1878.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Frank Lowder,</u>     | <u>16 years,</u> | <u>Nov. 19", 1890.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Le Roy S. Lowder,</u> | <u>14 years</u>  | <u>July, 28, 1892.</u> |
| (4) | _____                    | _____            | _____                  |
| (5) | _____                    | _____            | _____                  |
| (6) | _____                    | _____            | _____                  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Charles S. Hubbard.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Marina W. Hubbard,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha White,

12. Where were they born?

Father: Milton, Wayne County, Indiana.

Mother: Salem, Washington County, Indiana.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Rayaville, Indiana.

Mother: Rayaville, Indiana.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: June 2, 1903.

Mother: Living, Knightstown, Indiana.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN.                 | DIED. |
|-----|--|-----------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Francis T. Hubbard,</u><br><u>Benton Harbor, Mich..</u> | <u>Jan. 9, 1852.</u>  |       |
| (2) | <u>Ella Hubbard,</u><br><u>Chicago, Ill.</u>               | <u>May 31, 1856.</u>  |       |
| (3) | <u>Elizabeth Hubbard,</u><br><u>Knightstown, Ind.</u>      | <u>Dec. 8, 1867.</u>  |       |
| (4) | <u>Estelle H. Wilkinson,</u><br><u>Knightstown, Ind.</u>   | <u>Mar. 20, 1870.</u> |       |
| (5) |  |                       |       |
| (6) |  |                       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Richard J. Hubbard, son of

Jeremiah Hubbard, son of

Anna Hubbard, nee Crews, daughter of

Phoebe Crews, nee Phoebe Dutch.

18. Where were they born? In the State of North Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Richard J. Hubbard, lived  
at that time in Indiana.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Children of Richard J.

(1) Edwin, Margaret, Charles, Harriet, Joseph, George.

(2) Henry, Julia and Phoebe, all deceased.

(3) Caroline Painter, nee Newby, nee Hubbard, Spiceland, Ind.

(4) Emily Thompson, Little Rock, Arkansas.

(5) Anna Patchiff, New Castle, Indiana.

(6)



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Charles S. Hubbard, Richard J. Hubbard, Jeremiah Hubbard, Anna Hubbard, Phoebe Crews, nee Ditch, a full-blood Cherokee Indian woman.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See evidence in Hubbard Claim of which this application is made a part. I hereby constitute and appoint Jbo. J. Hubbard, my true and lawful attorney.

I solemnly <sup>affirm</sup> ~~swear~~ that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Mary Alice Lowder)

Subscribed and <sup>affirmed</sup> ~~sworn~~ to before me this 29 day of July, 1907.

J. B. Swan  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 4, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mrs E. A. Newton

and W. W. Stines, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Alice Lowder,

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and 12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents that on May 28, 1903, she had the children living as above set forth, herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her or her claim, childrens claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Mrs E. A. Newton  
W. W. Stines

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

July 4, 1909.

J. B. Swan  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*W. W. Thomas*  
*C. E. Parker*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*28th* day of *August*, 1907.

My commission expires

*July 4"*

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Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. *44721*

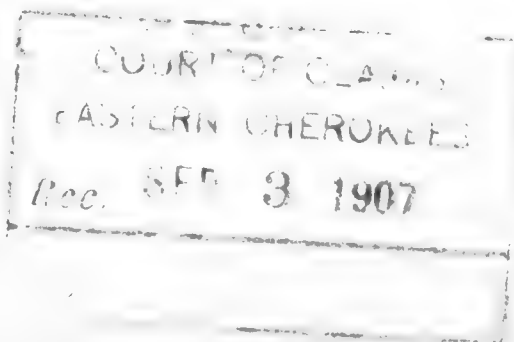
## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

HUBBARD CLAIM.  
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF  
Mary Alice Lowder,  
Dakotah, Iowa.

FOR MINOR CHILDREN  
Frank Lowder & LeRoy Lowder,

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



Jno. J. Hubbard, Afton, I.T.

Attorney for Applicants,

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: Mary Alice Lowder, nee Hubbard,
2. Residence and post office: Dakotah, Iowa.
3. County: Humboldt,
4. State: Iowa.
5. Date and place of birth: Jan. 6th. 1854. Ravsville, Indiana.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of ~~Wife's~~ husband: Matthew S. Lowder, 57 years old.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? none.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.             | BORN.                   |
|-----|-------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Florence Lowder.</u> | <u>28 years.</u> | <u>June 5th. 1878.</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Frank Lowder.</u>    | <u>13 years</u>  | <u>Nov. 19th. 1890.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Leroy S. Lowder.</u> | <u>14 years</u>  | <u>July 23rd 1893.</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Nil.</u>             |                  |                         |
| (5) | <u>Nil.</u>             |                  |                         |
| (6) | <u>Nil.</u>             |                  |                         |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Nil.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See evidence in Hubbard claim. This Supplemental Application being apart of my original Application which is a part of the above claim.

I solemnly ~~swear~~ <sup>affirm</sup> that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary Alice Lowder

Subscribed and ~~sworn~~ <sup>affirmed</sup> to before me this 28th day of August 1907.

My Commission expires

July 1st, 1909.

J. B. Swain  
Notary Public.

# AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. W. Sterns and O. E. Parker who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Alice Lowder, who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 18 years and 18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. W. Sterns  
O. E. Parker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires July 4th, 1909

J. B. Swain  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. ....

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

HUBBARD CLAIM.  
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

Mary Alice Lowder,  
OF  
Dakotah, Iowa.

FOR MINOR CHILDREN  
Frank Lowder & Leroy Lowder,

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. SEP 3 1907

Jno. J. Hubbard, Arton, T.T.

Attorney for Applicants,



No. 7095-1

Action: Expelled

Name:

Francis L. Hubbard and 1 children.

Residence:

Green Harbor Mich.

Reasons:

Claim thro' Throck Items.  
See report in #2217

No. 40951

Name Francis T. Hubbard

With No. Hubbard file

Remarks:

No. 10051

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

### APPLICATION

OF

Francis T. Hubbard  
himself & minor son  
Myer Hubbard.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Attorney for Applicants

Geo. J. Hubbard,  
Atton, I.T.

1907

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Francois T. Hubbard,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Benton Harbor,

3. County: Berrien .

4. State: Michigan.

5. How old are you? 55 Born Jan 9th, 1852.

6. Where were you born? Rayaville, Henry County, Indiana.

7. Are you married? Yes;

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Juliat W. Hubbard, age 58.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|         | NAME.                        | AGE.       | BORN.                   |
|---------|------------------------------|------------|-------------------------|
| # 40953 | (1) <u>Lewis W. Hubbard,</u> | <u>30</u>  | <u>Dec. 27", 1876.</u>  |
| # 40952 | (2) <u>Clara A. Welsh,</u>   | <u>28"</u> | <u>Feb. 12th, 1879.</u> |
|         | (3) <u>Myers Hubbard,</u>    | <u>19.</u> | <u>Sep. 8th, 1888</u>   |
|         | (4) <u>Nil.</u>              |            |                         |
|         | (5) <u>Nil.</u>              |            |                         |
|         | (6) <u>Nil.</u>              |            |                         |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Charles S. Hubbard,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha Hubbard,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha White.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Milton, Wayne Co., Indiana.

Mother: Salem Washington Co., Indiana.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Reysville, Ind.

Mother: Reysville, Ind.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: June 2nd, 1903.

Mother: Living.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| NAME   | BORN. | DIED. |
|--|-------|-------|
| (1) Mary Alice Lowder, nee Hubbard,<br>Dakotah City, Iowa. | 1854  |       |
| (2) Ella Hubbard,<br>Chicago, Ill.                         | 1856  |       |
| (3) Elizabeth Hubbard,<br>Knightstown, Ind.                | 1867  |       |
| (4) Estelle Wilkinson,<br>Knightstown, Ind.                | 1870  |       |
| (5) Nil.   |       |       |
| (6) Nil.   |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Richard J. Hubbard, & wife  
Sarah Hubbard,

Richard J. was the son

of Jeremiah Hubbard, who was the

son of Anna Hubbard, nee Crews, the daughter of Phoebe Dutch.

18. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Reservation State of North Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Reysville, Henry Co. Indiana.

Others dead.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Richard & Sarah Hubbard.

(1) Erwin, Margaret, Charles, Harriet, Joseph, George, Henry,

(2) Julia & Phoebe, deceased.

(3) Caroline Painter, nee Hubbard, Spiceland, Ind.

(4) Emily Thompson, nee Hubbard, Little Rock, Arkansas.

(5) Anna Beteliff, nee Hubbard, New Castle, Ind.

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No:

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Charles S. Hubbard, son of Richard I. Hubbard, son, of Jeremiah Hubbard son of Anna Hubbard nee Anna Crows, the daughter of Phoebe Crows, nee Phoebe Dutch,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
See evidence filed in Hubbard claim of which this application of Francis M. Hubbard and his minor son Myers Hubbard, is a part thereof. I hereby constitute and appoint Jno. J. Hubbard, Afton, I.T. my true and lawful attorney,

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Francis M. Hubbard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of July 1907.

Warren Carroll

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 4th, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Geo. A. Hopkins

and John J. Owens

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Francis M. Hubbard

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth.

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo. A. Hopkins

John J. Owens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

May 4th, 1910 Warren Carroll

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40952.

Action: Expedited

Name: Sara A. Walsh and 1 children.

Residence: 494 Arch St.

Reasons:

Marion Thos. Thomsen Revs.  
see report on # 8297.

Phila. Pa.

No. 40952

Name. Elmer A. Webb

With No. Hurler's file

Remarks :



10952  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Clara A. Walsh, nee Hubbard,  
Daughter of Francis T. Hubbard,  
P.O. Philadelphia, Pa.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Attorney for Applicant,

Jno. J. Hubbard,

Arton,

I.T.

10952

## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. ....

1. State your full name: Clara A. Walsh.
2. Residence and post office: 4900 Arch Street Philadelphia.
3. County: Philadelphia.
4. State: Penn.
5. Date and place of birth: Feb. 12th. 1879. Knightstown, Ind.
6. Are you married? Divorced.  
former
7. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: James O. Walsh.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? no
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| NAME.                        | AGE.             | BORN                 |
|------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| (1) <u>Max Graham Walsh.</u> | <u>10 years.</u> | <u>Jun. 19, 1897</u> |
| (2) <u>Nil.</u>              |                  |                      |
| (3) <u>Nil.</u>              |                  |                      |
| (4) <u>Nil.</u>              |                  |                      |
| (5) <u>Nil.</u>              |                  |                      |
| (6) <u>Nil.</u>              |                  |                      |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See evidence in the Hubbard Claim. this application filed  
as a Supplemental to my original application which was made  
a part of the Hubbard Claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Clara A. Walsh.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of August 1907.

Frank H. Benham  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Jan'y 21,

19011

FRANK H. BENHAM,  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
5146 MARKET ST., PHILA., PA.  
Commission Expires Jan'y 21, 1911.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Clara A. Walsh, nee Hubbard,  
Daughter of Francis T. Hubbard,  
P.O. Philadelphia, Pa.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Attorney for Applicant,

Jno. J. Hubbard,

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Clara A. Walsh, nee Hubbard,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: 704900 arch street  
West Philadelphia, Philadelphia

3. County: Philadelphia.

4. State: Pa.

5. How old are you? 28 years. Born Feb. 12th, 1879.

6. Where were you born? Knightstown, Indiana

7. Are you married? No; divorced October 27, 1906 from James C. Walsh

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James C. Walsh,

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Max Graham Walsh</u> |      |       |
| (2) |                         |      |       |
| (3) |                         |      |       |
| (4) |                         |      |       |
| (5) |                         |      |       |
| (6) |                         |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Francis T. Hubbard,

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Juliet W. Hubbard,

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Juliet Wood

12. Where were they born?

Father: Rayville, Indiana.

Mother: Blushing, Ohio



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: X Knightstown, Ind

Mother: X " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                       | BORN.                  | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------|------------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Lewis W. Hubbard.</u>    | <u>Dec 27th, 1878.</u> |       |
|     | <u>Kalamazoo, Mich.</u>     |                        |       |
| (2) | <u>Myers Hubbard.</u>       | <u>Sep. 8th, 1888.</u> |       |
|     | <u>Benton Harbor, Mich.</u> |                        |       |
| (3) | <u>Nil.</u>                 |                        |       |
| (4) | <u>Nil.</u>                 |                        |       |
| (5) | <u>Nil.</u>                 |                        |       |
| (6) | <u>Nil.</u>                 |                        |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Charles S. & Martha Hubbard.

Richard J. & Sarah Hubbard.

Jeremiah & Hubbard.

Joseph & Anna Hubbard, nee Crews.

Hardy & Phoebe Crews, nee Phoebe Dutch.

18. Where were they born? Charles S. Milton, Ind. Martha, Salem, Ind.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Raysville, Ind.

also Richard J. & Sarah, were living at Raysville, Indiana.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Francis T. Hubbard. Benton Harbor, Mich.

(2) Mary Alice Lowder.

(3) Ella Hubbard. Chicago, Ill.

(4) Elizabeth Hubbard

(5) Estella Wilkinson.

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Francis T., Charles S., Richard J., Jeremiah, Ann Hubbard nee Crows, Phoebe Crows, nee Dutch, a full blood Cherokee Indian woman, born, lived and died in North Carolina on the old Cherokee Reservation.

REMARKS.  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See evidence in "Hubbard Claim" this application is a part thereof. I hereby constitute and appoint Jno. J. Hubbard, Afton, I.T., my true and lawful attorney for myself and minor child.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Clara Anna Walsh

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

Frank H. Benham

Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 21, 1908

FRANK H. BENHAM,  
NOTARY PUBLIC,  
5146 MARKET ST., PHILA., PA.  
Commission Expires Jan'y 21, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Alice C. Hender, 5217 Arch St. Phila Pa  
and Lotta A. Billion, 1301 Arch St. Phila Pa, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Clara Anna Walsh  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for one year, and  
about four years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Frank H. Benham  
Frank H. Benham

Alice C. Hender  
Lotta A. Billion

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

FRANK H. BENHAM,  
NOTARY PUBLIC,  
5146 MARKET ST., PHILA., PA.

Frank H. Benham  
Notary Public.

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years and *H. M. Walsh*  
to be the identical person *she* represents *her* to be, and that  
on May 28, 1906, *she* had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by  
*her* are true, and they have no interest whatever in *her* or the child's claim.  
Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Ernest M. Walsh*  
*Mark G. Walsh*  
*23rd*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*23rd* day of *August*, 1907.

My commission expires

*January 21, 1908*

Notary Public  
FRANK H. BENHAM,  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
5146 MARKET ST., PHILA., PA.  
*Commission Expires Aug 21, 1911.*

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the  
Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

HUBBARD CLAIM.  
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Clara A. Walch, nee Hubbard,  
4900 Arch St. Philadelphia.  
Penn.

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Max Graham Walch.

For share of money appropriated for the East-  
ern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress ap-  
proved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the de-  
crees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905,  
and May 28, 1906.

JNO. J. Hubbard, Afton, I.T.  
Attorney for Claimant.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: Clara A. Walsh.
2. Residence and post office: 4900 Arch Street Philadelphia.
3. County: Philadelphia.
4. State: Penn.
5. Date and place of birth: Feb. 12th, 1879, Knightstown, Ind.
6. Are you married? Divorced.
7. Name and age of ~~wife~~ <sup>former</sup> husband: James O. Walsh.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? no
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| NAME.                        | AGE.             | BORN                 |
|------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| (1) <u>Max Graham Walsh.</u> | <u>10 years.</u> | <u>Jun. 19, 1897</u> |
| (2) <u>Nil.</u>              |                  |                      |
| (3) <u>Nil.</u>              |                  |                      |
| (4) <u>Nil.</u>              |                  |                      |
| (5) <u>Nil.</u>              |                  |                      |
| (6) <u>Nil.</u>              |                  |                      |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See evidence in the Hubbard claim, this application filed  
as a Supplemental to my original application which was made  
a part of the Hubbard claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Clara A. Walsh.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of August, 1907.

Frank H. Benham  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

January 21, 19011

FRANK H. BENHAM,  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
5146 MARKET ST., PHILA., PA.  
Comm. Expires Jan'y 21, 1911.



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Eva M. Grube, 49 N. 52<sup>nd</sup> St. Phila. and Mabel E. Mazur who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Clara A. Welch who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 5 years and 4 months respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her or the child's claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

January 21, 1911

Notary Public,  
FRANK H. BENHAM,  
NOTARY PUBLIC,  
5146 MARKET ST., PHILA., PA.  
Commission Expires Jan'y 21, 1911.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the Court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. ....

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

RETURNED CLAIM.  
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

CLARA A. WELCH, nee Hubbard,  
4900 Arch St. Philadelphia.  
Penn.

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Max Graham Welch.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

JNO. J. HUBBARD, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Attorney for Claimant.

Huffard  
file 3297

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES.<br>Rec. DEC 31 1907<br>No. 40952 |
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Philadelphia Pa.  
Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> 1907

Union Miller-

Sir.

I would like  
to know something  
about the Court of  
Claims in Favor of  
the Eastern Cherokees  
My application No. is  
40952

Very Resp.

Clara A. Walsh

33 26 N. Uber St.

No. 42953

Action: *Existed*

Name: *Miss V. Hubbard* and *2* children.

Residence: *Kalamazoo Mich*

Reasons:

*Have been broke since  
see report in #2297*



No. 40953

Name Lewis W. Hubbard

With No. Hubbard file

Remarks :

No. 10953

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**HUBBARD CLAIM.**  
APPLICATION

OF

**Lewis W. Hubbard, and his  
minor children,**

**Priscilla Hubbard,**  
**Marion Hubbard,**

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

**Jno. J. Hubbard, Afton, I.T.**  
**Attorney for Applicant.**

2007

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me <sup>and my minor children</sup> of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lewis W. Hubbard

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Kalamazoo

3. County: Kalamazoo

4. State: Michigan

5. How old are you? 30 Born Feb 27th. 1876

6. Where were you born Rayaville, Henry County, Indiana

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife ~~xxxxxx~~ Anna Goodale Hubbard, age 27 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.               | BORN.                  |
|-----|--------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Prisilla Hubbard,</u> | <u>3-1/2 years</u> | <u>Feb 4th. 1904.</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Marion Hubbard,</u>   | <u>1-1/2</u>       | <u>Feb. 8th. 1905.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Nil.</u>              |                    |                        |
| (4) | <u>Nil.</u>              |                    |                        |
| (5) | <u>Nil.</u>              |                    |                        |
| (6) | <u>Nil.</u>              |                    |                        |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Francis T. Hubbard

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Juliet W. Hubbard

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Juliet Wood

12. Where were they born?

Father: Rayaville, Henry Co., Indiana

Mother: Flushing, Belmont County, Ohio

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: X

Mother: X

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: X Living.

Mother: X "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.   | BORN.                 | DIED. |
|-----|---|-----------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Oliver A. Walsh</u><br><u>Philadelphia, Pa.</u>  | <u>Feb 20th. 1879</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Myers Hubbard</u><br><u>Benton Harbor, Mich.</u> | <u>Sep. 8th. 1888</u> |       |
| (3) | <u>Nil.</u>   |                       |       |
| (4) | <u>Nil.</u>   |                       |       |
| (5) | <u>Nil.</u>   |                       |       |
| (6) | <u>Nil.</u>   |                       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Charles S. & Martha Hubbard.  
Richard J. & Sarah Hubbard.  
Frederick & Hubbard  
Joseph & Anne Hubbard, nee Green, daughter of Phoebe Litch.

18. Where were they born? Charles S. & Martha, Milton & Salem, Indiana

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Raysville, Indiana.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                            |                             |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Francis T. Hubbard,</u> | <u>Benton Harbor, Mich.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mary Alice Lowder,</u>  | <u>Dakota, Iowa.</u>        |
| (3) | <u>Ella Hubbard,</u>       | <u>Chicago, Ill.</u>        |
| (4) | <u>Elizabeth Hubbard,</u>  | <u>Raysville, Ind.</u>      |
| (5) | <u>Estella Wilkinson,</u>  | <u>Raysville, Ind.</u>      |
| (6) |                            |                             |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Francis M. Hubbard, Charles S. Hubbard, Richard J. Hubbard, Jeremiah Hubbard, Anna Hubbard, nee Crews, Phoebe Crews, nee Dutch. Fullblood Cherokee Indian woman.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See evidence in Hubbard Claim, this Application is filed therein and made a part thereof. I hereby constitute and appoint Jho. J. Hubbard, Afton, I.T. my true and lawful attorney.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Lewis W. Hubbard.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

Henry J. Wiener  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 11, 1910

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Henry J. Wiener  
and William A. Jones, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Lewis W. Hubbard

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
and that on May 22, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth.  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Henry J. Wiener

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 11, 1910

Henry J. Wiener

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40954  
Name Ella Jordan and 1 children. Action: Refret  
Residence: Nelson, Ga.  
Reasons:

Once removed, Census to H. J. Holcomb (3075)  
and claims through same line.

No. 40954-~~6~~

Name .....

With No. 3075.

Remarks:

Eola J. ...  
...  
Adolphus ...  
~~...~~

No. 10051

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Ella Jordan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*John Galt*  
*Commissioner*

*1906*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ella Jordan

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Nelson

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born July 6" 1883

6. Where were you born? Pickens Co

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John J. Jordan 25 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                | AGE. | BORN.             |
|-----|----------------------|------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>Bessie Jordan</u> |      | <u>Aug 6 1903</u> |
| (2) | _____                |      | _____             |
| (3) | _____                |      | _____             |
| (4) | _____                |      | _____             |
| (5) | _____                |      | _____             |
| (6) | _____                |      | _____             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: McKinney Crow

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Nancy J. Crow

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Nancy J. Parsley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pickens Co, Ga

Mother: Pickens Co, Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pickens Co Ga  
Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 18 1904  
Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                           | BORN.                     | DIED.       |
|-----|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| (1) | Adolphus Crow<br>Dead          | July 5 1867               | Mich 6 1898 |
| (2) | Jamie O. Eubanks<br>Atlanta Ga | Sept 1, 1869              |             |
| (3) | Mary T. Stiles                 | Feb 29 1871               |             |
| (4) | Josephine Stiles               | May 16 1873               |             |
| (5) | Lucius Crow<br>Geo Crow        | May 6 1875<br>Oct 22 1877 |             |
| (6) | Oscar Crow<br>Nelson Ga        | April 18 1887             |             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.  |
|----------------|-----------------|
| Abraham Crow   | Ephraim Presley |
| Shoabe Crow    | Mary Presley    |

18. Where were they born? N Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Pickens Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Wm E Crow  
(2) McGuirey Crow  
(3) Edward Crow  
(4) Henry Crow  
(5) Luraine Rider  
(6) Sarekey Lindsay  
Diana Little  
John Crow  
James Crow  
Elizabeth Pinnor  
Thomas Crow  
Elizabeth Crow

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Do

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Ella Jordan, the daughter of

McKinnis Crow, the son of Phoebe Crow, the daughter  
of Anna Townsend, who was Anna Holcombe

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint J. L. Boring, my atty in fact to  
receive & receipt for all monies due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Ella Jordan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

G. M. Atcherson

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 27, 1908.

Pickup  
to heretofore

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

C. M. Wofford

and

F. L. Boring

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ella Jordan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and

7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. M. Wofford

F. L. Boring

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 27, 1908.

G. M. Atcherson

Notary Public.

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No. 40955  
Name Oscar Crow and x children. Residence: Nelson, Ga. Action: Reject

Reasons:

Once removed Cousin to H. H. Holcomb  
(3075) and claims through same line.



40955

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Oscar Lerow*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*James Galt,  
Canton, Ga*

5507

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Oscar Crow, by his mother  
Indian name: Nancy J Crow

2. Residence and post office: Nelson

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born April 18 1887

6. Where were you born? Alabama

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lemna Crow 24 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: McKinney Crow

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Nancy J Crow

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Nancy J Prensley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pickens Co, Ga.

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pickens Co Ga

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 18<sup>th</sup> 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

Father made application  
once I understand.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.             | BORN.                      | DIED.         |
|-----|-------------------|----------------------------|---------------|
| (1) | Adolphus Crow     | July 5 1867                | March 6, 1898 |
| (2) | Fannie C. Eubanks | Sept 1 <sup>st</sup> 1869  |               |
|     | Atlanta Ga        |                            |               |
| (3) | Mary J. Hales     | July 29 <sup>th</sup> 1871 |               |
|     | Petersburg Ga     |                            |               |
| (4) | Josephine Hales   | May 16 <sup>th</sup> 1873  |               |
|     | Petersburg Ga     |                            |               |
| (5) | Cicero Crow       | May 6 1876                 |               |
|     | Geo Crow          | Oct 22 1877                |               |
| (6) | Ella Jordan       | July 3 1883                |               |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.   |
|----------------|------------------|
| Abraham Crow   | Ephraim Pressley |
| John Crow      | Mary Pressley    |

18. Where were they born? N Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Pickens Co Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Paternal side

|     |                |      |
|-----|----------------|------|
| (1) | William Crow   | Dead |
| (2) | McKenny Crow   |      |
| (3) | Edward Crow    |      |
| (4) | Samuel Crow    |      |
| (5) | Lusainey Crow  |      |
| (6) | Sarah Crow     |      |
|     | Diana Crow     |      |
|     | John Crow      |      |
|     | James Crow     |      |
|     | Elizabeth Crow |      |
|     | Thomas Crow    |      |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Oscar Crow, the son of  
McKinney Crow, the son of Paulie Crow, the daughter  
of Anna Townsend, who was Anna Holcombe whose  
mother was a

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint Ruby Galt my atty in fact  
to receive my account for all amounts  
due me.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

N J Crow

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August 1907.

James Price

My commission expires

1910

Notary Public.

Charles Co. G.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Patterson H Lyon

and Lee L Shiner

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Paulie Nancy J. Crow next friend

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

1910

James Price

Notary Public.

Charles Co. G.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 40956 Action: Refect  
Name Adolphus Crow and 3 children. Residence: Nelson, Ga.  
Reasons:

Once removed Cousin to H. J. Holcomb  
(3075) and claims through same line.

10930

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Adolphus Crow.*

*Minor*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Jabez Galt,  
Canton, Ga*

5207

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Children of Adolphus Crow deed

Indian name: By their Grand Mother & Aunt

2. Residence and post office: Nelson

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? Adolphus Crow Born June 5 1867

6. Where were you born? Pickens Co. S.C. March 6 1898

7. Are you married? was married, Widow Mary Crow

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary (Pettigrew) Crow (36 yrs)

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.               | AGE. | BORN.            |
|-----|---------------------|------|------------------|
| (1) | <u>Della Crow</u>   |      | <u>Dec. 1893</u> |
| (2) | <u>Delphia Crow</u> |      | <u>Jan 1898</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Ethel Crow</u>   |      | <u>Nov 1899</u>  |
| (4) |                     |      |                  |
| (5) |                     |      |                  |
| (6) |                     |      |                  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William Crow

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Nancy J. Crow

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Nancy J. Pressley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pickens Co. S.C.

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pickens Co Ga  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 18 1904  
Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: McKinney Crow made

application shortly before his death as I understand  
16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | Jannie O Eubanks<br>Atlanta Ga       | Sept 1 1869 |       |
| (2) | Mary T Hales<br>Petersburg Ga        | Feb 29 1871 |       |
| (3) | Josephine Hales<br>Petersburg Ga     | May 16 1873 |       |
| (4) | Leicard Crow<br>Ball Ground Ga       | May 6 1875  |       |
| (5) | Geo Crow<br>Guthrie                  | Oct 22 1877 |       |
| (6) | Ella Jordan<br>Oscar Crow<br>Guthrie | July 6 1880 |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.   |
|----------------|------------------|
| Abraham Crow   | Rephaim Pressley |
| Phoebe Crow    | Mary Pressley    |

18. Where were they born? N Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Pickens Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                     |  |
|-----|---------------------|--|
| (1) | Wm Crow             |  |
| (2) | McKinney Crow       |  |
| (3) | Edward Crow         |  |
| (4) | Leicard Crow        |  |
| (5) | Lurana Crow         |  |
| (6) | Lurana Crow Lindsey |  |
|     | John Crow           |  |
|     | James Crow          |  |
|     | Elizabeth Crow      |  |
|     | Thomas Crow         |  |
|     | Agnes Crow          |  |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Children of Adolphus Crow the

son of William Crow, the son of Phoebe Crow the daughter  
of Anna Townsend, who was Anna Holcombe

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint J. H. Galt my atty in fact to  
receive and receipt for all amounts due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nancy J. Crow

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

1910

Notary Public.

Charles L. G. G.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Patterson St. Lyon

and W. H. Galt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Nancy J. Crow

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and

25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

P. St. Lyon  
W. H. Galt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

1910

James P. Galt

Notary Public

Charles L. G. G.

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No. 40957

Action: Rejected.

Name Sarah Wiggington and 3 children. Residence: Ball Ground, Ga.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled.  
Does not establish fact of descent from a person  
who was a party to the treaty of 1833-6<sup>th</sup> & 1846.

(Incl. ed. p. <sup>4</sup>3709, <sup>#</sup>3708)

Field Sta. ?  
No. 40957. *Clarke*  
Name Leral Wiggington  
With No.  
Remarks: *En File*

*Awaiting reply to letter.*

No. 10057

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lerah Wigginton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Jabez Galt,  
Canton, Ky*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.           | AGE. | BORN.        |
|-----|-----------------|------|--------------|
| (1) | Louis Wigginton |      | June 11 1901 |
| (2) | Loate Wigginton |      | Jan 3 1903   |
| (3) | Susie Wigginton |      | Feb 9 1906   |
| (4) |                 |      |              |
| (5) |                 |      |              |
| (6) |                 |      |              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not Born

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                | BORN.         | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Arminde Brachett<br>Mineral Bluff Ga | Sept 10 1887  |       |
| (2) | Martha King<br>Jasper Ga             | Sept. 10 1888 |       |
| (3) | Fannie King<br>Jasper Ga             | Aug 1 1891    |       |
| (4) | James King<br>Jasper Ga              | Mar 3 1895    |       |
| (5) | Julia King<br>Jasper Ga              | Oct 11 1898   |       |
| (6) |                                      |               |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Wm King  
Martha King

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Ad - Carson  
Ann Carson

18. Where were they born? Unknown Grand mother, Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Maternal side

|     |                    |              |          |
|-----|--------------------|--------------|----------|
| (1) | Bill Powell        | Ind. Ind.    | now dead |
| (2) | Sallie Leger       | Ala.         |          |
| (3) | Martha Brachett    | Union Co. Ga |          |
| (4) | Mettie Carson King | Jasper Ga    |          |
| (5) |                    |              |          |
| (6) |                    |              |          |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Lera Wigginton, the daughter of Nettie King, the daughter of Ad and Ann Carson, the daughter of Ann Schneider who was Ann Powell, whose mother was a Blooming Blossom

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint Juby Galt my atty in fact to receive the moneys for all amounts due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Lera Wigginton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

James C. Crie

My commission expires

1910

Notary Public.

Charles E. Crie

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Gove F. All

and

A. W. Roberts

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Lera Wigginton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and

14 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Gove F. All  
A. W. Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

1910

James C. Crie

Notary Public.

Charles E. Crie

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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Appln. No. 40957.

June 4, 1908.

Lorah Wiggington,

Ball Ground, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you own or hire colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information or obtainable leading to establish your right to share in this fund.

Very truly, and respectfully,

Yours respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W.W.



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No. 40957

July 29th, 1908.

Lerah Wigington,  
Ball Ground, Ga.

Madam:

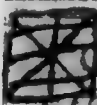
You were notified to appear at Canton on July 8th, before my assistant, Frank D. Ryan and produce additional testimony in the matter of your application to participate in the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

You failed to appear and produce any witnesses, and as we will not be in your section of the country again for the purpose of taking testimony, it will be absolutely necessary that you answer each and every one of the enclosed list of questions at the very earliest possible date. If you cannot possibly answer any given question, so state, that we may know it has not escaped your notice.

Very respectfully,

FDR/HSM

Special Commissioner.

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Dear Sir,

I have the pleasure to

acknowledge the receipt of

your letter of the 10th inst.

in relation to the

above mentioned matter.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,

Yours truly,

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No. 40958.

Action: Reject.

Name Missouri Free and 4 children. Residence: Ball Ground, Ga.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Shows no real connection with the Eastern Cherokeees.

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Remarks:

Awaiting reply to letter.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Missouri Iron*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Jabez Galt*  
*Canton, Ga*

25604



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Missouri Free

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Ball Ground

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born Sept 8<sup>th</sup> 1868

6. Where were you born? Lumpkin Co

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Gore Free Apr 21<sup>st</sup> 1864

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.             | AGE.  | BORN.                           |
|-----|-------------------|-------|---------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Almon Free</u> | _____ | <u>Sept 8<sup>th</sup> 1888</u> |
| (2) | <u>Lilly Free</u> | _____ | <u>May 13<sup>th</sup> 1890</u> |
| (3) | <u>Paul Free</u>  | _____ | <u>Dec 20 1893</u>              |
| (4) | <u>Grady Free</u> | _____ | <u>June 26 1900</u>             |
| (5) | _____             | _____ | _____                           |
| (6) | _____             | _____ | _____                           |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Iredell Hudson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Lane Gordin

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Lane Tate

12. Where were they born?

Father: Lumpkin Co Ga

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lumpkin Co., Ga.  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1893  
Mother: 1889

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Eliza Dutton</u>  | <u>1854</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Orgain Huddie</u> | <u>1857</u> |       |
| (3) | <u>Gula Laine</u>    | <u>1872</u> |       |
| (4) |                      |             |       |
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17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.      | MOTHER'S SIDE.      |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| <u>James Huddie</u> | <u>Lynne Tate</u>   |
| <u>Huddie</u>       | <u>Eliza Dutton</u> |
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18. Where were they born? Unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Lumpkin Co., Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                     |  |
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| (1) | <u>James Huddie</u> |  |
| (2) |                     |  |
| (3) |                     |  |
| (4) |                     |  |
| (5) | <u>Lynne Tate</u>   |  |
| (6) |                     |  |

Lumpkin Co., Ga.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Missouri Free, the daughter of Sam Laddie, the daughter of Elizabeth Ladd

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I do not have any other facts to present for a grant to me.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Missouri Free

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

James B. Rice

My commission expires

1910.

Notary Public.

Charles Lee, Jr.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Patterson H. Lyon

and Lee L. Spence, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Missouri Free

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 years and

14 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Patterson H. Lyon

Lee L. Spence

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

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James B. Rice

Notary Public.

Charles Lee, Jr.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Appln. No. 40958.

June 4, 1908.

Special Commissioner.

FTT/ELC.  
Missouri Free,

Ball Ground, Ga.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FTT/ELC.



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name of her mother.

Missouri Free

No. 40958

Misc.

Missouri Free, after being first duly sworn,  
deposes and says:

I am 37 years of age; was born in Lumpkin County,  
Ga. I claim Indian blood through my mother. I do not  
know if my mother ever received any Indian money from the  
government. Have heard her say she could take up land  
but she never did. I never saw my grandparents. My  
grandmother went to Alabama before I was born. As long  
as I can remember I heard my mother talk of my Indian blood.  
My mother did not speak the Indian language. If she ever  
lived with the Indians I know nothing about it. Do not  
know if my grandparents lived with the Indians.

Missouri Free

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Canton, Ga.,  
this eighth day of July, 1908.

*Harold Ketron*  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

No. 40959

Action: Reject

Name Lena Gaddeh, and 2 children.

Residence: Ball Ground Ga.

Reasons: piece of #28752



No. 4095-99  
Name Lena G. ...  
With No. 19105  
Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Dena Hadley*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Jabez Galt,  
Canton, Ga*

55607

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lena Gaddis

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Ball Ground

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born Feb 27" 1870

6. Where were you born? Union Co, Ga.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: E. F. Gaddis Dec 15 1863

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.  | BORN.               |
|-----|-----------------------|-------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Carl Gaddis</u>    |       | <u>Aug 4" 1893</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Wallace Gaddis</u> |       | <u>Oct. 21 1892</u> |
| (3) | _____                 | _____ | _____               |
| (4) | _____                 | _____ | _____               |
| (5) | _____                 | _____ | _____               |
| (6) | _____                 | _____ | _____               |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: James L. Davis

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Davis

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mary Ann Morgan

12. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

Father: Haywood Ga.

Mother: Union Co Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Union Co Ga  
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dying  
Mother: March 10 1904

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME  | BORN.    | DIED.       |
|-----|---|----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>John Davis</u><br><u>Ra</u>                | <u>-</u> | <u>1860</u> |
| (2) | <u>Dora Saterfield</u><br><u>Dahlonega Ga</u> |          |             |
| (3) | <u>Eliza Davis</u><br><u>Fort Worth Tex,</u>  |          |             |
| (4) | <u>Salome Edge</u><br><u>Dahlonega Ga</u>     |          |             |
| (5) | <u>Marion Davis</u><br><u>Fort Worth Tex</u>  |          |             |
| (6) |   |          |             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.       | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
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| <u>Charles Davis</u> | <u>Samuel Morgan</u> |
| <u>Rebecca Davis</u> | <u>Hannah Morgan</u> |
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18. Where were they born? Unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Union Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Maternal side

|     |                      |                     |
|-----|----------------------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>John Sharkey</u>  |                     |
| (2) | <u>Rebecca Stodd</u> |                     |
| (3) | <u>Clarissa Rice</u> | <u>Blount Co Ga</u> |
| (4) | <u>Lucia Jones</u>   | <u>" "</u>          |
| (5) | <u>Henry Morgan</u>  | <u>Blount Co Ga</u> |
| (6) | <u>James Morgan</u>  |                     |
|     | <u>John Morgan</u>   |                     |
|     | <u>John Morgan</u>   |                     |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Lena Gaddis, the daughter  
of Mary Ann Davis, the daughter of Samuel Morgan

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint John Bell my attorney in fact to receive  
and receipt for all annuities due me,  
Mrs Josephine Howell, my Aunt, went to Ind. Terr. and  
settled land there.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lena Gaddis, Gaddis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7-7 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

James Price  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James L. Williams  
and Young J. Thompson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Lena Gaddis  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and  
30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James L. Williams

Young J. Thompson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7-7 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

James Price

Notary Public.

Cherokee County

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. - 2902 -

Action: -

Name: John Carter and children. Residence: -

Reasons:

because, through the same source as 7-331 -

No. 40960

Name Geo M. Carter

With No. 41338

Remarks:

No. 40960

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

Geo. W. Carter

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Jabez Galt,  
Carleton, Ga.

20607



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: George W. Carter

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Ball Ground

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born Sept 29 1867

6. Where were you born? Georgia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Elvira Carter 36 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John H. Carter

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Nancy Carter

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Nancy Carter

12. Where were they born?

Father: Unknown

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: No, Carolina is my information  
Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: 1889

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not the unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                               | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Elizabeth Brookshire<br>Dahlonga Gq |       |       |
| (2) | Mary Ann Carter,<br>Ball Ground Gq. |       |       |
| (3) | Lilli Rivers<br>Ball Ground Gq      |       |       |
| (4) | Lorie Carter<br>Ellijay, Gq         |       |       |
| (5) | Nova Carter<br>Ball Ground Gq,      |       |       |
| (6) | Florida Adams<br>Dahlonga Gq        |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| Nelson Carter  | Ned Carter     |
| Betsy Carter   | Carter         |

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? "

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     | Paternal           | Maternal     |
|-----|--------------------|--------------|
| (1) | Margaret Gaddis,   | Fate Carter  |
| (2) | Sarah              | James Carter |
| (3) | William Carter     | Bessy Carter |
| (4) | Lee Carter         | Nancy Carter |
| (5) | Nelson John Carter |              |
| (6) |                    |              |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Geo. W. Carter the son of John H. & Nancy Carter, the son of J. Wilson & Betsey Carter & daughter of Ned & Carter

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I do not say that my ally in fact to receive the receipt for all monies due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and

(Signature) George Carter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

1910.

Notary Public.

Charles Lee

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Gov. Lee

and James W. Lee, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Geo. W. Carter

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 22 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James W. Lee  
A. B. Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

1910.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40961

Action: Rejected

Name Martha Williams and X children. Residence: Orange, Ga.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled,  
Nor was established fact of descent from a person  
who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 and 1846.

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*File of Cherokee*

No. *210961.*

Name *Martha Williams*

With No.

Remarks:

*if file*

*Awaiting reply to letter.*

No. 409851

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

Martha Williams

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Jabez Galt,  
Canton, Ga

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Martha Williams

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Orange

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born June 10<sup>th</sup> 1865

6. Where were you born? Lumpkin Co. Ga.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Matthew Williams

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Rachel Williams

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Rachel Crossan

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hall Co. Ga.

Mother: Lumpkin Co. Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lumpkin Co Ga

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1882

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                  | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Alfred Williams</u> |       |       |
| (2) | <u>John Williams</u>   |       |       |
| (3) | <u>Mary Williams</u>   |       |       |
| (4) | <u>Calvin Williams</u> |       |       |
| (5) | <u>Jane Rogers</u>     |       |       |
| (6) |                        |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.           | MOTHER'S SIDE.          |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| <u>John Williams</u>     | <u>James Cronan</u>     |
| <u>Zephania Williams</u> | <u>Elizabeth Cronan</u> |

18. Where were they born? Unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Lumpkin Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                             |                          |
|-----|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Jessie Williams Dead</u> | <u>Luke Cronan</u>       |
| (2) | <u>Mary Williams</u>        | <u>Lige Cronan</u>       |
| (3) | <u>Matthew Williams</u>     | <u>James Polk Cronan</u> |
| (4) |                             | <u>James Cronan Dead</u> |
| (5) |                             | <u>Joe Cronan</u>        |
| (6) |                             | <u>George Cronan</u>     |
|     |                             | <u>Elizabeth Cronan</u>  |
|     |                             | <u>Margaret Cronan</u>   |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Martha Williams, the daughter of Matthew and Rachel Williams, the son of Zephania Williams and mother was the daughter of James and Elizabeth Cronan

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I appoint J. M. Blackwell, my atty in fact to receive and receipt for all monies and to execute all papers necessary to the collection of said claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Martha Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug 1907.

J. M. Blackwell, Dept. Clerk  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. M. Bryant  
and D. L. Little, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha Williams who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and 6 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person that represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. L. Woley  
J. L. Woley

L. M. Bryant  
D. L. Little

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

J. M. Blackwell, Dept. Clerk  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Appln. No. 40961.

June 4, 1908.  
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Martha Williams,

Orange, Georgia.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

/s/

No. 40961

July 30th, 1908.

Martha Williams,

Orange, Ga.

Madam:

You were notified to appear at Canton on July 8th, before my assistant, Frank D. Ryan and produce additional testimony in the matter of your application to participate in the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

You failed to appear and produce any witnesses, and as we will not be in your section of the country again for the purpose of taking testimony, it will be absolutely necessary that you answer each and every one of the enclosed list of questions at the very earliest possible date. If you cannot possibly answer any given question, so state, that we may know it has not escaped your notice.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Orange Co #40961  
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Washington D.C. 1909

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. NOV 3 1909  
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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 40961



State of Georgia Cherokee County  
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tampered with them. Mr Shelden will  
swear that he did analyze the said papers  
and that he did sign a her papers as  
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that Mr Shelden wrote and told me  
that it was a <sup>good</sup> copy and Mr Shelden  
will swear that the papers they gave me  
was the original and was his hand writing  
and he would swear to it they was carried  
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before me this 31st day of May 1894  
Hester White my Hattay & Williams  
Notary Public for Cherokee County Ga  
My Comm. 4-981

No. 40962

Action: Rejected.

Name John Jones and X children. Residence: Canton, Ga.

Reasons:

Cousin of #14514 and slave, child. same name

No. 40762-5.

Name .....

With No. 14514.

Remarks:

John Jones  
" "

Mary E. Jones  
Mary E. "

No. 10062

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John James*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*John Gait,  
Canton, Ga*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John Jones

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Legaton

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born April 19<sup>th</sup> 1885

6. Where were you born? Cherokee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Fannie G. Jones 23 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Wm B. Jones

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary E. Jones

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mary E. Evans

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gilmer Co Ga

Mother: Gilmer Co Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not Born

Mother: u 4

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 25 1907

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME          | BORN.        | DIED. |
|-----|---------------|--------------|-------|
| (1) | James Jones   | July 19 1877 |       |
| (2) | William Jones | Dec 16 1887  |       |
| (3) | Dora J. Jones | Oct 1 1883   |       |
| (4) | Odessa Jones  | Jan 15 1887  |       |
| (5) | Arnos Jones   | Aug 10 1891  |       |
| (6) | Esther Jones  | Nov 9 1893   |       |
|     | Ernest Jones  | Nov 9 1900   |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Samuel Jones  
Abby Jones

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Richard Evans,  
Louisa Evans

18. Where were they born? Unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Gilmer Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

maternal side

|     |                  |  |
|-----|------------------|--|
| (1) | Richard B. Evans |  |
| (2) | Jane Mulkey      |  |
| (3) | Rhoda Mulkey     |  |
| (4) | John Evans       |  |
| (5) | Mary Evans       |  |
| (6) | Ella Evans       |  |
|     | James Evans      |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: John Jones, the son of Mary E Jones the daughter of Richard Evans, the son of Richards Evans Sr & Anna Evans

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint Jaby Galt my atty in fact to receive and receipt for all monies due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907.

Notary Public.

Cherokee Co

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Ben J Wallingham

and Wm A. Galt

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with John Jones

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and

5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ben J Wallingham

Wm A. Galt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907.

Notary Public.

Cherokee Co

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40963

Action: Rejected

Name: Wm. Jones and X children. Residence: Canton, Ga.

Reasons:

Cousin of #14514 and same name



10963

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*William Jones*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Jabez Galt,  
Canton, Ga.*

E-7607

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*William Jones*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Coanton*

3. County:

*Cherokee*

4. State:

*Georgia*

5. How old are you?

Born

*Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1881*

6. Where were you born?

*Cherokee*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Cora Jones*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

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(4)

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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Wm B Jones*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Mary E Jones*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Mary E. Jones Evans*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Greiner Co, Ga.*

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gilmer Co Ga Not Born

Mother: Not Born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 25 1907

Mother: Louise

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                     | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>James Jones</u>                        |       |       |
| (2) | <u>Nora J Spence</u>                      |       |       |
| (3) | <u>John Jones</u>                         |       |       |
| (4) | <u>Odessa Spears</u>                      |       |       |
| (5) | <u>Arnor Jones</u>                        |       |       |
| (6) | <u>Barter Jones</u><br><u>Grady Jones</u> |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.      | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| <u>Samuel Jones</u> | <u>Richard Evans</u> |
| <u>Abby Jones</u>   | <u>Louiza Evans</u>  |

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Gilmer Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                                   |  |
|-----|-----------------------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>Richard<sup>13</sup> Evans</u> |  |
| (2) |                                   |  |
| (3) |                                   |  |
| (4) |                                   |  |
| (5) |                                   |  |
| (6) |                                   |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: William Jones the son of Mary E Jones, the daughter of Richard Evans, the son of Richard Evans Sr, and Anna Evans

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I appoint J. M. Blackwell my atty in fact to receive and receipt for all monies due me and to execute all papers in collection of said claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William S Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

J. M. Blackwell, Depk Clerk  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William S Jones who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 14 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. H. Edwards

N. L. Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

J. M. Blackwell, Depk Clerk  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Rubie Spaw No. 40964

Action: Rejected.

Name: Mary E. Jones and 7 children. Residence: Orange, Ga.

Reasons: not paid

Cousin of #14514 and claim Chas. same name.

No. 40964

See #40962

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary E Jones Next Friend*  
of

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Rubin J Spear Minor*

*Jabez Galt,  
Canton, Ga*

696017

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.  | AGE. | BORN.                    |
|-----|--|------|--------------------------|
| (1) | Rubie J. Spears                              |      | Oct 9 <sup>th</sup> 1903 |
| (2) |  |      |                          |
| (3) | Child of Odessa Spears who is the            |      |                          |
| (4) | daughter of applicant, is enclosed herewith, |      |                          |
| (5) | and the application of this applicant        |      |                          |
| (6) | is herein enclosed                           |      |                          |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

|       |       |
|-------|-------|
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |       |       |
|-----|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

*Rebecca J. Spears, the daughter  
of Odessa Spears, the daughter of Mary E. Jones  
the daughter of Richard Evans,*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*I appoint Jacob Galt my atty in fact to  
receive the receipt for all monies due me  
as grandmother and next friend.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Mary E. Jones*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*Wm Galt*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*Sept 14, 1907.*

*Cherokee Co.*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Ben F. Williamson*  
and *Wm A Galt*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with *Mary E. Jones*  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *7* years and  
*5* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents  
*herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Ben F. Williamson*  
*Wm A Galt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

*Sept 14, 1907*

*Wm Galt*

Notary Public.  
*Cherokee Co.*

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 40965

Action: Rejected

Name Mary E. Jones and 4 children. Residence: Orange, Va.

Reasons:

Cousin of #14514 and Clarin, this same name.

No.

10965

# 140964

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary E Jones*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Wm. Galt,  
Canton, Ga*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary E Jones

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Orange

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born

April 15 1861

6. Where were you born? Gilmer

7. Are you married? Widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Dead

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                 | AGE. | BORN.                          |
|-----|-----------------------|------|--------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>James Jones</u>    |      | <u>July 19 1877</u>            |
| (2) | <u>William Jones</u>  |      | <u>Dec 16 1881</u>             |
| (3) | <u>Dora J. Spence</u> |      | <u>Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1883</u> |
| (4) | <u>John Jones</u>     |      | <u>Apr 19 1885</u>             |
| (5) | <u>Odessa Spears</u>  |      | <u>Feb 15 1887</u>             |
|     | <u>Armour Jones</u>   |      | <u>Aug 10 1891</u>             |
| (6) | <u>Gaster Jones</u>   |      | <u>Nov 9 1893</u>              |
|     | <u>Grady Jones</u>    |      | <u>Nov 9 1900</u>              |

*Minor*

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Richard Evans

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Louiza Evans

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Louiza Loring

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gilmer Ga

*is my information*

Mother: S. Carolina



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gilmer Co Ga

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec. 1874

Mother: June 1884

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                             | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Richard B Evans<br>Ball Ground Ga |       |       |
| (2) | James Mulkey<br>Nelson Ga         |       |       |
| (3) | Rhoda Mulkey<br>Nelson Ga         |       |       |
| (4) | John Evans<br>Decatur Ind         |       |       |
| (5) | Ella Townsend<br>dead             |       |       |
| (6) | Thomas Evans<br>Winnville Ga      |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
Richard Evans  
Anna Evans

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Loring  
Elizabeth Loring

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gilmer & am informed

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |               |  |
|-----|---------------|--|
| (1) | Jackson Evans |  |
| (2) | Richard Evans |  |
| (3) |               |  |
| (4) |               |  |
| (5) |               |  |
| (6) |               |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mary E. Jones, the daughter of Richard Evans, the son of Richards and Anna Evans

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint John Galt, my atty. in fact to receive a receipt for all amounts due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary E. Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug., 1907.

John Galt  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Ben F. Williamson

and Wm A Galt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary E. Jones who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ben F. Williamson  
Wm A Galt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14, 1907.

John Galt

Notary Public.

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No. 40966

Name Sallie ~~W~~ Crow

and 4 children.

Action: Rejected.

Residence: Ball Ground, Ga.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestor ever enrolled.  
Does not establish line of descent from a person  
who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 and 1846

Letter 2 Etc ?

No. 40966.

Name Fannie Crow

With No.

Remarks:

Awaiting reply to letter.



No.

10906

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Sallie Crow*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Jabez Galt,  
Canton, Ga*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sallie Crow

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Ball Ground

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born July 7 1878

6. Where were you born? Pickens

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Cicero E. Crow

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                 | AGE. | BORN.               |
|-----|-----------------------|------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Myrtle Crow</u>    |      | <u>June 19 1896</u> |
| (2) | <u>Bertie V. Crow</u> |      | <u>Aug 24 1898</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Rubie A Crow</u>   |      | <u>Sept 8 1900</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Roy L Crow</u>     |      | <u>Jan 29 1906</u>  |
| (5) | _____                 |      | _____               |
| (6) | _____                 |      | _____               |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Wm J. Brown

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Caroline Brown

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Caroline Bazeman

12. Where were they born?

Father: N. Carolina

Mother: Pickens County Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pickens Co. Ga.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Nov 26 1881

Mother: June 10 1887

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN.              | DIED. |
|-----|--|--------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Samuel D. Brown</u><br><u>Marilla</u>         | <u>Feb 17 1866</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Cynthia E Wood</u><br><u>Hanson Ind. Ter.</u> | <u>Feb 17 1866</u> |       |
| (3) | <u>Mary J. Priest</u><br><u>Woodstock</u>        | <u>Dec 3 1866</u>  |       |
| (4) |  |                    |       |
| (5) |  |                    |       |
| (6) |  |                    |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.       | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| <u>Andrew Brown</u>  | <u>Blunt Bozeman</u> |
| <u>Rebecca Brown</u> | <u>Jane Bozeman</u>  |

18. Where were they born? Unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Pickens Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                        |  |
|-----|------------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>John Brown</u>      |  |
| (2) | <u>Ed Brown</u>        |  |
| (3) | <u>Martha Brown</u>    |  |
| (4) | <u>Sam Brown</u>       |  |
| (5) | <u>Nora Brown</u>      |  |
| (6) | <u>Nancy Ann Brown</u> |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Sallie Crow, the daughter of Wm J. Brown, the son of Andrew & Rebecca Brown, who was Rebecca Pinion & her mother was a Talley

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint Sallie Crow my atty in fact to receive the receipt for all amounts due me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sallie Crow

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

1910

James Price  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James B. Roberts

and W. B. Whitfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sallie Crow

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and 16 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

McRoberts  
Whitfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

1910

James Price  
Notary Public.

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7.3.2

Appln. No. 40966.

June 4, 1908.

Sallie Crow,

Ball Ground, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1846 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. H. C.

No. 40966

July 29th, 1908.

Sallie Crow,

Ball Ground, Ga.

Madam:

You were notified to appear at Canton on July 8th, before my assistant, Frank D. Ryan and produce additional testimony in the matter of your application to participate in the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

~~You failed to appear and produce any witnesses,~~  
and as we will not be in your section of the country again for the purpose of taking testimony, it will be absolutely necessary that you answer each and every one of the enclosed list of questions at the very earliest possible date. If you cannot possibly answer any given question, so state, ~~we~~ that we may know it has not escaped your notice.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FDR/WM

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 8 1908  
No. 40966

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Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.



Name Cicero Crow No. 40967 Action: Reject  
and 4 children. Residence: Ball Ground, Ga.

Reasons:

Once removed Cousin to H. J. Holcomb  
(3075) and Clarus through same line.

No. 40967.

Name Cicero Crow

With No. 40954

Remarks:

No. 40967

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Siervo Crow

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.

6-624

Jabez Galt,  
Canton, Ga

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Cicero Crow

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Ball Ground Ga

3. County: Carroll

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born May 6 1875

6. Where were you born? Pickens

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sallie Crow 27 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.              | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Myrtle Crow</u> | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | <u>Bertha Crow</u> | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | <u>Rubie Crow</u>  | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | <u>Ray Crow</u>    | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____              | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____              | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: McKinney Crow

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Nancy J. Crow

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Nancy J. Nesley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pickens Ga

Mother: Idaho



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pickens Co., Ga.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 18<sup>th</sup> 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.           | BORN.                       | DIED.      |
|-----|-----------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| (1) | Adolphus Crow   | Jan 1 <sup>st</sup> 1867    | Feb 6 1898 |
| (2) | Jamie O. Embury | Sept 1 <sup>st</sup> 1869   |            |
| (3) | Mary 7 Hales    | Feb 29 <sup>th</sup> 1871   |            |
| (4) | Josephine Hales | May 16 1873                 |            |
| (5) | Geo Crow        | Oct 22 1877                 |            |
| (6) | Ella Jordan     | July 6 1883                 |            |
|     | Oscar Crow      | April 18 <sup>th</sup> 1887 |            |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.  |
|----------------|-----------------|
| Abraham Crow   | Ephraim Presley |
| Phoebe Crow    | Mary Presley    |

18. Where were they born? N Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Pickens Co., Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                    |  |
|-----|--------------------|--|
| (1) | Wm Crow            |  |
| (2) | M. M. Crow         |  |
| (3) | Edward Crow        |  |
| (4) | Kimsey Crow        |  |
| (5) | Luramy Crow Rider  |  |
| (6) | Sareney Lindsay    |  |
|     | Diana Little       |  |
|     | John Crow          |  |
|     | James Crow         |  |
|     | Elizabeth P. Union |  |
|     | Thomas Crow        |  |
|     | Ezekiel Crow       |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Cicero Crow, the son of McKim Crow, the son of Phoebe Crow, the daughter of Anna Townsend, who was Anna Stolecombe

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint John Latt my atty in fact to receive my receipts for all amounts due me & to execute all papers necessary to collect same

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

C. C. Crow

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug 1907.

James Price

My commission expires

1910

Notary Public.

Cherokee Co Ga

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Alfred E Price

and Gordon Price

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Cicero Crow

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Alfred E Price

Gordon Price

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

1910

James Price

Notary Public.

Cherokee Co Ga

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App. No. 40967

September 18, 1907.

Cicero Crow,

Ball Ground, Georgia.

Sir

Please inform this Office at once as to the exact date of  
the birth of each of your children.

Very respectfully,

WEA

Special Commissioner.

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No. 40468

Action: Refect.

Name Mrs. A. M. Mear and 2 children.

Residence: Henry, Ind.

Reasons: Indigent case.

No. 40968

Name Nora P. Davis

With No. Bondi, etc.

Remarks :

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Nord L. Davis

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Clay C. Hunt, Atty  
New Castle  
Ind

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nora Samantha Davis

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: New Castle

3. County: Henry

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 22 years Born Jany. 15th/ 1885

6. Where were you born? Yadkin County, North Carolina

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Thomas Davis, 34 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? No

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.           | BORN.                  |
|-----|--------------------------|----------------|------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Wilbur Ross Davis</u> | <u>6 years</u> | <u>Aug. 2nd, 1901</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Thomas R. Davis</u>   | <u>4 years</u> | <u>Aug. 21st, 1903</u> |
| (3) | _____                    | _____          | _____                  |
| (4) | _____                    | _____          | _____                  |
| (5) | _____                    | _____          | _____                  |
| (6) | _____                    | _____          | _____                  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Thomas H. Poindexter

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Emma Poindexter

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Emma Jester

12. Where were they born?

Father: Yadkin County, N.C.

Mother: Yadkin County, N.C.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Yadkin County, N.C.

Mother: Yadkin County, N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living

Mother: Still Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                        | BORN.                   | DIED.               |
|-----|------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Ulysses G. Poindexter</u> | <u>April 15th, 1880</u> | <u>Still Living</u> |
| (2) | <u></u>                      | <u></u>                 | <u></u>             |
| (3) | <u></u>                      | <u></u>                 | <u></u>             |
| (4) | <u></u>                      | <u></u>                 | <u></u>             |
| (5) | <u></u>                      | <u></u>                 | <u></u>             |
| (6) | <u></u>                      | <u></u>                 | <u></u>             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
Jeff Poindexter

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Josiah Jester

18. Where were they born? Yadkin County, N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Yadkin County, N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                          |                             |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | <u>A. D. Poindexter</u>  | <u>Yadkin County, N.C.</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Joe Poindexter</u>    | <u>Yadkin County, N.C.</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Ray Poindexter</u>    | <u>Yadkin County, N.C.</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Thomas Poindexter</u> | <u>New Castle, Ind.</u>     |
| (5) | <u>John Poindexter</u>   | <u>New Castle, Indiana.</u> |
| (6) | <u></u>                  | <u></u>                     |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Affiant, daughter of Thomas M. Poindexter, son of Jefferson Poindexter, son of Denson Poindexter connected with Eastern Cherokee.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
The Genealogy of this Affiant runs back the same as the application of (A.D.) Gustin Poindexter, Thomas M. Poindexter and John Poindexter now on file with Special Commissioner of Court of Claims in said cause.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nora S Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of August 1907.

Clay C Hunt  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 12 1910

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Bud Warden

and Lill Reece

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Nora Samantha Davis

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Bud Warden  
Lill Reece

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 12 1910

Clay C Hunt  
Notary Public.

Note: Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COUNTY OF  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JAN 18 1908  
No. 40965

CLAY C. HUNT, LAWYER  
NEW CASTLE, INDIANA

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REFeree IN BANKRUPTCY,  
DISTRICT OF INDIANA

Aug. 28th, 1907.

To Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
#601. Ourgy Building,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir;

Enclosed herewith I hand you application of Nora Samantha Davis (nee Poindexter), for such share as may be due her of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30th, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokee.

Kindly place the same on file in said Cause and oblige  
Yours truly,

Clay C. Hunt

CLAY C. HUNT, LAWYER  
NEW CASTLE, INDIANA

OLD AND NEW PHONES 26

REFEREE IN BANKRUPTCY,  
DISTRICT OF INDIANA

#40,968.

January 16, 1908.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment,  
#601 Ouray Bld.,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Under the above numbered claim of Nora  
Samantha Davis, I would state that she does not claim  
through any other line of descent than through Donahoo  
and better Pledge Poindexter, just the same as in  
claim, #34,999½.

Yours respectfully,

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*Clay C. Hunt*



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CLAY C. HUNT, LAWYER  
NEW CASTLE, INDIANA

OLD AND NEW PHONES 25

#40968.

New Castle, Ind., June 29, 1909.

Hon. Guion Miller, Special Comm.,  
601 Ouray Building,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

In re application of Nora Samantha Davis for participation  
in the fund arising from the Judgment of the Court of Claims of May  
28th, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

I am in receipt of your communication of June 10 in the  
above numbered application of Mrs. Davis, and note that said appli-  
cation was rejected. May I inquire upon what ground the applica-  
tion of this claimant was rejected?

Respectfully,

CCN:LP

*Clay C. Hunt*

No. 40969

Name Frances Law

Action: Rejected

Reasons:

and X children.

Residence: Gainsville, Va

Applicant was a slave.

(Under Test A. 1000)

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No. 40969. *Pa* ?  
Name *Frances Law* *Hall Co*  
With No. *54*  
Remarks: *file*

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*July 7, 08.*

*Awaiting reply to letter.*

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Frances Law*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*F. M. Loden,*  
*Gainesville, Ga.*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Frances Law  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Damesville Ga.
3. County: Hall
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 70 Born 1837
6. Where were you born? South Carolina
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Dead: was 74 years old
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee Indians
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Mandy Holloway</u> | <u>47</u> | <u>1860</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mary Keith</u>     | <u>44</u> | <u>1863</u> |
| (3) | <u>Henry Law</u>      | <u>35</u> | <u>1872</u> |
| (4) | <u>Perano Law</u>     | <u>32</u> | <u>1875</u> |
| (5) | <u>James Law</u>      | <u>31</u> | <u>1876</u> |
| (6) | _____                 | _____     | _____       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: William Mayfield

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Cynthia Mayfield

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Cynthia Brouder

12. Where were they born?  
Father: South Carolina  
Mother: " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Died 1849

Mother: " 1848

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1849

Mother: 1848

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                 | BORN. | DIED.       |
|-----|---------------------------------------|-------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Miguel Mitchel</u>                 |       | <u>"</u>    |
| (2) | <u>Mosiah Mitchel</u>                 |       | <u>"</u>    |
| (3) | <u>Thomas Mayfield</u>                |       | <u>1866</u> |
| (4) | <u>Abraham Mayfield</u>               |       | <u>1897</u> |
| (5) | <u>Mandy Mayfield</u>                 |       |             |
| (6) | <u>Adaline Irvine</u><br><u>Texas</u> |       |             |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Thomas Mayfield  
Peggie Mayfield

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jerry Browder  
Frances Browder

18. Where were they born? don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Don't know

(2)

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father was William Mayfield: my Grand father: Thomas Mayfield was 1/2 Cherokee Indian

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Judge F. M. Loden of Gainesville is my authorized and recognized Attorney in the prosecution of this claim with Authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in the settlement of this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

Frances her Law

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of Aug. mark 1907.

F. M. Loden

My commission expires

Dec. 31st

1909.

Justice of the Peace

#### AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me R. Gresham

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Frances Law

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. Gresham  
R. A. Chamberlee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31st

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F. M. Loden

Justice of the Peace

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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Appln. No. 40967.

June 4, 1908.

Frances Law,

Gainesville, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1845? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1845? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

Your early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

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Special Commissioner.

W/L.

Appln. No. 40969.

deposes and says:

Frances Law,----- being duly sworn,

My name is Frances Law. I am 70 years old. I have been living in Court Carolina and Georgia. I never got any money from the Government. I was never enrolled as I did not know anything about it. A man by the name of Billy Campbell owned my mother and myself. I do not know who owned my father. He was not a slave. My mother was half Indian. I never lived with the Indians but I have been where they were. I claim Cherokee Indian blood.

*Frances Law*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Gainesville,  
Ga., this 7th day of July, 1908.

*A. J. [Signature]*  
Asst. to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.



No. 40970  
Name James Miller and X children. Residence: Dickson, Tenn  
Action: Reject  
Reasons:

First cousin of #37385.  
Son of #31944.

No. 40970,

Name Jas. Miller

With No. 31944

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James Miller*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*H. C. Richardson*  
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*Dickson*

*Tennessee*

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— James Miller  
English name: "  
Indian name: "  
2. Residence and post office: Dickson  
3. County: Dickson  
4. State: Tennessee  
5. How old are you? 42 Born 1865  
6. Where were you born? Tenn.  
7. Are you married? yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ann Miller  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) |       |      |       |
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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Thomas Miller  
Indian name: "  
Mother—English name: Elsie Miller  
Indian name: "  
Maiden name: Alsie Jackson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.  
Mother: Tennessee



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— James Miller  
English name: " "  
Indian name: " "  
2. Residence and post office: Dickson  
3. County: Dickson  
4. State: Tennessee  
5. How old are you? 42 Born 1865  
6. Where were you born? Tenn.  
7. Are you married? yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ann Miller  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) |       |      |       |
| (2) |       |      |       |
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| (5) |       |      |       |
| (6) |       |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Thomas Miller  
Indian name: " "  
Mother—English name: Alsie Miller  
Indian name: " "  
Maiden name: Alsie Jackson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.  
Mother: Tennessee



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Swing

Mother: 1893

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.          | BORN.   | DIED. |
|-----|----------------|---------|-------|
| (1) | Mary Woodard   | Unknown | Swing |
| (2) | Dickson Tenn.  |         |       |
| (3) | Chority Redden | "       | "     |
| (4) | Dickson Tenn.  | "       | "     |
| (5) | J. E. Miller   | "       | "     |
| (6) | Dickson Tenn.  | "       | "     |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.  | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Peter Norntan   | Unknown        |
| Chority Norntan | "              |
| "               | "              |
| "               | "              |

18. Where were they born?

Unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |               |               |
|-----|---------------|---------------|
| (1) | Thomas Miller | Dickson Tenn. |
| (2) | Algie Miller  | dead          |
| (3) | Ed. Box       | Denver Tenn.  |
| (4) | Wes Bannar    | Dickson Tenn. |
| (5) |               |               |
| (6) |               |               |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grandfather  
and Grandmother Marston  
Were Cherokee Indians

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James Peters

and Warrin Box, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James Miller

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

X Warrin Box

James Peters

Warrin Box

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 31944

Dickson Tenn. Sept 16. 1905  
Hon. Guin Miller, Spec. Comm.

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:- I am the Administrator  
of Thomas Miller Deceased and I find  
among his papers that he has filed  
a claim with you as Cherokee Indian  
Application No. 31944. I would like  
to know if there will be any  
chance to realize anything out of  
this claim. If the claim needs  
any further proof I would be  
glad that you advise me. If there  
is anything that I can do in order  
to get the claim allowed I would  
be glad to do so  
Yours truly  
T.E. Miller

31944



No. 31944.

September 21, 1908.

T. B. Miller,

Dickson,

Tennessee.

Sir:

Your letter of September 16, 1908, relative to the application of Thomas Miller for participation in the Eastern Cherokee enrollment, is at hand.

You are advised that this application has been given a preliminary examination but it has not yet been finally acted upon. More than 44,000 applications have been filed and in many instances testimony will have to be taken locally in order to obtain the necessary information to pass upon the claims. Some of this testimony has already been taken and several parties are now engaged upon this work, but it will necessarily take considerable time to complete the taking of testimony and the final adjudication of the claims.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

NLC.



No. 40971.

Name James A. Ball

Action: Reject.

and -- children. Residence: Sherman, Texas.

Reasons: Son of #19074; claims thru same source.

No. 40971-3

Name .....

With No. 19074

Remarks:

Jas. W. Ball

Milton M. "

Fannie M. "

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James Atwood Bull*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Geo. P. Brown, Atty  
Sherman  
Lex.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James Atward Ball

Indian name: Starr

2. Residence and post office: Sherman

3. County: Grayson

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 25 years Born March 28, 1882.

6. Where were you born? Cass County, Texas

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) |       |      |       |
| (2) |       |      |       |
| (3) |       |      |       |
| (4) |       |      |       |
| (5) |       |      |       |
| (6) |       |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Samuel Lynch Ball, Ida Lee Ball; Mother's maiden name is Crawford.

Father—English name: Samuel Lynch Ball

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Ida Lee Ball

Indian name: Starr

Maiden name: Ida Lee Crawford

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cass County, Texas.

Mother: Henry County, Georgia.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: The year 1851 was before father's birth.

Mother: The year 1851 was before mother's birth.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Now living.

Mother: Now living.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mother has been enrolled with the Eastern  
Cherokees, of which, this is a part of.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| NAME                               | BORN.                      | DIED. |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------|-------|
| (1) <u>Milton Maurice Ball,</u>    | <u>February 24, 1880.</u>  |       |
| (2) <u>Fannie May Ball,</u>        | <u>March 17, 1885.</u>     |       |
| (3) <u>Hattie Bertie Ball,</u>     | <u>November 9, 1887.</u>   |       |
| (4) <u>Carrie Ida Ball,</u>        | <u>September 14, 1890.</u> |       |
| (5) <u>Samuel Lynch Ball, Jr.,</u> | <u>March 20, 1992.</u>     |       |
| (6) _____                          |                            |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                     | MOTHER'S SIDE.                     |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <u>My grandparents on father's</u> | <u>My grandparents on mother's</u> |
| <u>side were English. They had</u> | <u>side Indian name was Starr.</u> |
| <u>no Indian name.</u>             | <u>They had no English name.</u>   |

18. Where were they born? Mother's parents were born in Henry County, Georgia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Mother's parents resided in  
Henry County, Georgia, in 1851.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|                            |                             |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) <u>J. B. Crawford,</u> | <u>Waxahachie, Texas.</u>   |
| (2) <u>J. S. Crawford,</u> | <u>Austin, Texas.</u>       |
| (3) <u>F. A. Crawford,</u> | <u>Atlanta, Texas.</u>      |
| (4) <u>M. A. Perdue,</u>   | <u>Texarkana, Texas.</u>    |
| (5) <u>T. J. Crawford,</u> | <u>Ft. Stockton, Texas.</u> |
| (6) <u>J. C. Crawford,</u> | <u>Kansas City, Mo.</u>     |
| (7) <u>A. M. Prator,</u>   | <u>Texarkana, Texas.</u>    |
| (8) <u>F. A. Knapp,</u>    | <u>Greenwood, Arkansas.</u> |
| (9) <u>I. I. Ball,</u>     | <u>Sherman, Texas.</u>      |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have never been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits, prior to this application.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's maiden name is Crawford, her Indian name is Starr. My grandparents on mother's side Indian name is Starr, and they have no English name.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Reference to claim no. 19074

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James Atward Ball

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of August, 1907.

Roy C. Smith  
Grayson County, Texas. Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Hamp P. Abney  
and O. C. Ahlers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Atward Ball who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for four years and three years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in any claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Hamp P. Abney  
O. C. Ahlers

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Roy C. Smith  
Grayson County, Texas. Notary Public.

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No. 40972.

Action: Reject.

Name Milton Maurice Ball and -- children. Residence: Sherman, Texas.

Reasons: Son of #19074; claims thru same source.

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10972  
No. ~~19074~~

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Milton Maurice Ball

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Geo. P. Brown, Atty  
Sherman  
Lex

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Milton Maurice Ball

Indian name: Starr

2. Residence and post office: Sherman

3. County: Grayson

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 27 years Born February 24, 1880

6. Where were you born? Cass County, Texas.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Samuel Lynch Ball, Ida Lee Ball; Mother's maiden name is Crawford.

Father—English name: Samuel Lynch Ball

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Ida Lee Ball

Indian name: Starr

Maiden name: Ida Lee Crawford

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cass County, Texas.

Mother: Henry County, Georgia.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: The year 1851 was before father's birth.

Mother: The year 1851 was before mother's birth.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Now living

Mother: Now living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mother has been enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees, of which, this is a part of.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| NAME.                       | BORN.               | DIED. |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| (1) James Atward Ball,      | March 28, 1882.     |       |
| (2) Fannie May Ball,        | March 17, 1885.     |       |
| (3) Hattie Bertie Ball,     | November 9, 1887.   |       |
| (4) Carrie Ida Ball,        | September 14, 1890. |       |
| (5) Samuel Lynch Ball, Jr., | March 20, 1892.     |       |
| (6)                         |                     |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

My grandparents on father's side were English. They had no Indian name.

My grandparents on mother's side Indian name was Starr. They had no English name.

18. Where were they born? Mother's parents were born in Henry County, Georgia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Mother's parents resided in Henry County, Georgia, in 1851.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Mother's side:

|                     |                      |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| (1) J. B. Crawford, | Waxahachie, Texas.   |
| (2) J. S. Crawford, | Austin, Texas.       |
| (3) F. A. Crawford, | Atlanta, Texas.      |
| (4) M. A. Perdue,   | Texarkana, Texas.    |
| (5) T. J. Crawford, | Ft. Stockton, Texas. |
| (6) J. C. Crawford, | Kansas City, Mo.     |
| (7) A. M. Prator,   | Texarkana, Texas.    |
| (8) F. A. Knapp,    | Greenwood, Arkansas. |
| (9) I. L. Ball,     | Sherman, Texas.      |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have never been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits, prior to this application.
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's maiden name is Crawford, her Indian name is Starr. My grandparents on mother's side Indian name is Starr and they have no English name.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Reference to claim no 19074

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Milton Maurice Ball

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909.

Roy E. Smith  
Grayson County, Texas. - Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. J. Neathery  
and S. D. Sanders, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Milton Maurice Ball  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for five years and  
four years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in any claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

E. J. Neathery  
S. D. Sanders

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909.

Roy E. Smith  
Grayson County, Texas. - Notary Public.

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No. 40973.

Action: Reject.

Name Fannie May Ball and -- children. Residence: Sherman, Texas.

Reasons: Daughter of #19074; claims thru same source.

No. ~~19074~~

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Fannie May Ball*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Geo P. Brown, Atty  
Sherman  
Tex*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Fannie May Ball

Indian name: Starr

2. Residence and post office: Sherman

3. County: Grayson

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 23 years Born March 17, 1885.

6. Where were you born? Upshur County, Texas.

7. Are you married? No.

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) |       |      |       |
| (2) |       |      |       |
| (3) |       |      |       |
| (4) |       |      |       |
| (5) |       |      |       |
| (6) |       |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Samuel Lynch Ball, Ida Lee Ball; Mother's maiden name is Crawford.

Father—English name: Samuel Lynch Ball

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Ida Lee Ball

Indian name: Starr

Maiden name: Ida Lee Crawford

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cass County, Texas.

Mother: Henry County, Georgia.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: The year 1851 was before father's birth.

Mother: The year 1851 was before mother's birth.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Now living.

Mother: Now living.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mother has been enrolled with the Eastern  
Cherokees, of which, this is a part of.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| NAME.                       | BORN.               | DIED. |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| (1) Milton Maurice Ball,    | February 24, 1808.  |       |
| (2) James Atward Ball,      | March 28, 1882.     |       |
| (3) Hattie Bertie Ball,     | November 9, 1887.   |       |
| (4) Carrie Ida Ball,        | September 14, 1890. |       |
| (5) Samuel Lynch Ball, Jr., | March 20, 1892.     |       |
| (6)                         |                     |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

My grandparents on father's side were English. They had no Indian name.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

My grandparents on mother's side Indian name was Starr. They had no English name.

18. Where were they born? Mother's parents were born in Henry County, Georgia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Mother's parents resided in Henry County, Georgia, in 1851.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|                     |                      |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| (1) J. B. Crawford, | Waxahachie, Texas.   |
| (2) J. S. Crawford, | Austin, Texas.       |
| (3) F. A. Crawford, | Atlanta, Texas.      |
| (4) M. A. Perdue,   | Texarkana, Texas.    |
| (5) T. J. Crawford, | Ft. Stockton, Texas. |
| (6) J. C. Crawford, | Kansas City, Mo.     |
| (7) A. M. Prator,   | Texarkana, Texas.    |
| (8) F. A. Knapp,    | Greenwood, Arkansas. |
| (9) J. L. Ball,     | Sherman, Texas.      |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have never been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits, prior to this application.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's maiden name is Crawford, her Indian name is Starr. My grandparents on mother's side Indian name is Starr and they have no English name.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Reference to claim 19074

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Fannie May Ball

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1907.

Roy E. Smith  
Grayson County, Texas Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. D. Haizlip

and J. M. Richardson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Fannie May Ball

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her three months for two years and two years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in any claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. D. Haizlip  
J. M. Richardson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909.

Roy E. Smith  
Grayson County, Texas Notary Public.

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No. 40974.

Action: *Reject*

Name

*Mary E. Wheeler*

and 3.

children.

Residence:

*Winston, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 39778.*

No. 40974-7

Name.....

With No. 39778

Remarks:

File  
Mary D. Dickson  
Nancy Withers  
Marianne Dickson  
John H. Dickson



grand  
daughter

No. 50071

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Elizabeth Wheeler

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



Jacob Stensel  
Atty for applicant  
Marsden  
NC

grand  
daughter

No. 10971

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Elizabeth Wheeler

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Lucas Stenseth  
Atty for Applicant  
Madsen  
ND



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.            | AGE.     | BORN.        |
|-----|------------------|----------|--------------|
| (1) | Cornelia Whalen  | 10       | July 22-1897 |
| (2) | Elmesta Whalen   | 5-       | Oct. 22/1902 |
| (3) | Roberta Whalen   | 2        | Oct. 2/1904  |
| (4) | Casa Linn Whalen | 5-months | July 23/1906 |
| (5) |                  |          |              |
| (6) |                  |          |              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Davis Camp, N. H. Lawrence  
Mother: Davis Camp, N. H. Lawrence

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                 | BORN. | DIED.  |
|-----|-----------------------|-------|--------|
| (1) | Lucinda Lewis         | 1877  | Living |
|     | Unkugun & Co.         |       |        |
| (2) | Nancy Mitchell        | 1879  | Living |
|     | Adrian H. C. R. F. H. |       |        |
| (3) |                       |       |        |
| (4) |                       |       |        |
| (5) |                       |       |        |
| (6) |                       |       |        |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.  | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|---|----------------|
| Abraham Dulin   | Kuman Golden   |
| Nancy   | Dick Kuman     |
| Lucinda Dulin   | Betsy Golden   |
| Edwin "Cherokee" Dulin  | Dick Kuman     |
| Where were they born? <u>Davis Camp, N. H. Lawrence</u>                         |                |
| Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? <u>Davis Camp, N. H.</u> |                |

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Harry Watson Dulin Dulley N. H.
- (2) John Alexander Dulin " "
- (3) Abraham Dulin " "
- (4) George Dulin " "
- (5) " "
- (6) " "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father George Dulin  
son of Lucinda Dulin an Indian Cherokee In-  
dian. Her father Watson Smith was a son  
of Cherokee Indian. My mother was a daughter  
of

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My great father Watson Smith was  
a Cherokee Indian. His offspring  
my great mother Lucinda Dulin & my father  
George Dulin are proof of their Indian lineage  
after colored samples - have been taken & compared  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elizabeth Mary Wheeler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Aug 7 day of 10 1907.

E. E. Hunt

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Enoch Biddine

and Harry Lyons, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Wheeler

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

E. E. Hunt  
Harry Lyons

Signatures of Witnesses.

Enoch Biddine  
Harry Lyons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

E. E. Hunt

Notary Public.

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No. 40975

Action: *Reject*

Name *Nancy Mitchell* and *3* children. Residence: *Redland, L.C.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 39778.*

No. 40975

Name Nancy Williams

With No. 39778

Remarks:

Ex File



*Grandfather  
Daughter*

No. 40975

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy Mitikree*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Jacob Stewart  
atly for  
Applicant  
Marshfield  
NC*

*54604*

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                             | AGE.            | BORN.                      |
|-----|-----------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|
| (1) | <del>Rosa Franklin Mitchell</del> | <del>15</del>   | <del>March 28 1892</del>   |
| (2) | <del>Burly Redman Mitchell</del>  | <del>13</del>   | <del>Oct - 19 - 1893</del> |
| (3) | <del>Fannie May Mitchell</del>    | <del>11</del>   | <del>May 9 1896</del>      |
| (4) | <del>Robt Eugene Mitchell</del>   | <del>9</del>    | <del>Feb. 13 1898</del>    |
| (5) | <del>Ellie Lee Mitchell</del>     | <del>6</del>    | <del>Oct 26 1900</del>     |
| (6) | <del>George Lenora Mitchell</del> | <del>3</del>    | <del>Jan 20 1902</del>     |
|     | <del>May Ellen Mitchell</del>     | <del>1 yr</del> | <del>Jan. 12 1906</del>    |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Deer Camp North Carolina

Mother: Deer Camp North Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                | BORN. | DIED.  |
|-----|----------------------|-------|--------|
| (1) | Lucinda Evers        | 1877  | Living |
|     | Winkerson to me      |       |        |
| (2) | May Elizabeth Whelan | 1879  | Living |
|     | Winston N.C.         |       |        |
| (3) |                      |       |        |
| (4) |                      |       |        |
| (5) |                      |       |        |
| (6) |                      |       |        |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.           | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------------|----------------|
| Abraham Dulin            | Newman Golden  |
| <del>Abraham Dulin</del> | Dunk known     |
| Lucinda Dulin            | Betsy Golden   |
| "Cherokee Indian"        | Dunk known     |

18. Where were they born? Deer Camp North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Deer Camp N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                      |                             |
|-----|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | Jerry Watson Dulin   | William Golden              |
| (2) | John Alexander Dulin | Nancy Austin, Redland, N.C. |
| (3) | Abraham Dulin        | Augustus Golden             |
| (4) | George Dulin         |                             |
| (5) |                      |                             |
| (6) |                      |                             |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

My father George Dublin  
born in 1847 was the son of Lucinda Dublin  
born in 1825 & she was the daughter of Watson  
Smith who was born in 1799 & who was the son  
of "Eastern Cherokee Indian" who died in 1800 & etc.  
REMARKS  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My father & Grandfather Mullen Lucinda Dublin  
as well as my grandfather Watson Smith  
all of Indian blood - Long black hair, long  
pleasant nose, high cheek bones, copper colored lips &  
high temper.  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nancie Mitchel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug 1907.

E. E. Smith

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Enoch Bidding  
and Harry Lyons, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Nancy Mitchel  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

E. E. Smith  
Jacob Stewart

Signatures of Witnesses.

Enoch Bidding  
Harry Lyons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909

E. E. Smith

Notary Public.

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JACOB STEWART.  
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

MOCKSVILLE, N. C., May 28 1907

Hon. Union Miller -

Special Comm.  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed & sent for your  
application of Eastern Cherokee.

Those acknowledge receipt  
soon -

Yours truly  
Jacob Stewart



No. 40976.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Maudie Crews* and *4* children. Residence: *Advance, h.c.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 39778.*

*grand daughter*

40976

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Maudie Lewis*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Jacob Stewart  
Atty for  
applicant  
Marshville  
N.C.*

2007

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.            | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Rosa Lee Crews   | 8-   | 1899  |
| (2) | John Henry Crews | 5-   | 1902  |
| (3) | Glenn Crews      | 3    | 1904  |
| (4) | William Crews    | 1    | 1905- |
| (5) |                  |      |       |
| (6) |                  |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dane County North Carolina

Mother: Dane County North Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Died Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> 1882

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.             | BORN. | DIED.  |
|-----|-------------------|-------|--------|
| (1) | John Philip Dulin | 1882  | Living |
| (2) |                   |       |        |
| (3) |                   |       |        |
| (4) |                   |       |        |
| (5) |                   |       |        |
| (6) |                   |       |        |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                   | MOTHER'S SIDE.  |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Abraham Dulin                    | Samuel Allen    |
| <del>Easton Cherokee Dulin</del> | <del>None</del> |
| Lucinda Dulin                    | Patsy Allen     |
| "Easton Cherokee Dulin"          | <del>None</del> |

18. Where were they born? Dane County - except Lucinda Dulin in Monroe Co. in 1825

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? all in Dane County, N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| Father's Side |                                      |
|---------------|--------------------------------------|
| (1)           | George Dulin - Redland N.C.A.        |
| (2)           | Henry Watson Dulin Redland N.C.      |
| (3)           | John Alexander Dulin Redland, N.C.   |
| (4)           | Abraham Dulin Redland N.C.           |
| (5)           | Thomas Allen - Redland N.C. & F.S.V. |
| (6)           | Thomas Allen - dead                  |
| (7)           | Louise Allen - dead                  |
| (8)           | Robert Allen - dead                  |
| (9)           | William Allen - dead                 |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My grand mother father side-

was the daughter of Watson Smith Esq Cherokee  
Indian & Watson Smith the son of Esau Cherokee  
parents who are now dead in North Carolina  
Watson Smith born in 1799 am informed -  
REMARKS.  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The Commission & character of my father  
William grand father & great grand father of  
the Esau Cherokee Indian who enrolls in this  
county of County - Long have been heard in different colored  
complexion - with Cherokee -

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Maud Cross

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

E. E. Hunt  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Enoch Bidding  
and Harry Lyons, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Maud Cross  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

E. E. Hunt  
Wm. S. Hunt

Signatures of Witnesses.

Enoch Bidding  
Harry Lyons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

E. E. Hunt  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 40977 Action: Rejected  
Name: William L. Knox and X children. Residence: Salisbury, N.C.  
Reasons:

Nephew of # 39778.

nephew

No. 40077

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

William H. Snay

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Jacob Stewart  
Mashville  
Tenn  
attorney  
applicant

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— *William H. Snodgrass*  
English name: *William H. Snodgrass*  
Indian name: *"Eastern Cherokee Indian"*
2. Residence and post office: *Salisbury N. C.*
3. County: *Ramoth*
4. State: *North Carolina*
5. How old are you? *Thirty six* Born *19<sup>th</sup> Dec - 1869*
6. Where were you born? *Irredum County N. C.*
7. Are you married? *Yes*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Irene Snodgrass - 35 years*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *None*
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.       | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <i>None</i> |      |       |
| (2) |             |      |       |
| (3) |             |      |       |
| (4) |             |      |       |
| (5) |             |      |       |
| (6) |             |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Frank Snodgrass*  
Indian name: *Wam Emy Munkuga*

Mother—English name: *Adeline Snodgrass*  
Indian name: *"Cherokee Indian"*  
Maiden name: *Adeline Smith*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Irredum County N. C.*

Mother: *Ramoth County N. C.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Bacon Camp N.C.

Mother: Bacon " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1887

Mother: " 1894

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.     | BORN.      | DIED. |
|-----|-----------|------------|-------|
| (1) | John Knox | about 1860 | 1892  |

|     |             |            |      |
|-----|-------------|------------|------|
| (2) | Maggie Knox | about 1860 | 1890 |
|-----|-------------|------------|------|

|     |            |    |  |
|-----|------------|----|--|
| (3) | J. E. Knox | 20 |  |
|-----|------------|----|--|

|     |                  |  |  |
|-----|------------------|--|--|
| (4) | Lucas Cunningham |  |  |
|-----|------------------|--|--|

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|-----|--|--|--|
| (5) |  |  |  |
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| (6) |  |  |  |
|-----|--|--|--|

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.   |
|----------------|------------------|
| John Knox      | Watson Smith     |
| John           | "Easthope Union" |
| Lila. Knox     | Hannah Smith     |
| John           |                  |

18. Where were they born? John in Lucas Co N.C., the Smiths as same  
lived in Macon or N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Bacon Camp

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE         | MOTHER'S SIDE             |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| (1) Mary Knox, dead   | Hannah Smith, born there  |
| (2) Susan Knox, dead  | David Smith, Macon N.C.   |
| (3) Albert Knox, dead | May Houston, about 1860   |
| (4) Frank Knox, dead  | Watson Smith, about 1860  |
| (5) Zachary Lee, dead | Nelson Smith, " "         |
| (6) Maria Fox, dead   | Lucinda Dulin, Macon N.C. |
| Hannah                | John                      |
| John Wood, about 1860 | John                      |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Mother Adeline Knox daughter of Watson Smith a Cherokee Indian and Hannah Smith, his wife. The father of Watson Smith and our grandfather his mother also were Eastern Cherokee Indians who lived in the Nation Indian - this September 1835. North Carolina. They did not say when they told so I have heard my mother say it was said.  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My mother and Watson Smith both had the appearance of an Indian. The color - light Cheek bones, tight lips - long black hair - prominent nose -

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William H. Knox

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Aug, 1907.

E. E. Sturck

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 5th, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Robert L. Willson  
and Joseph S. McClamrock, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William H. Knox  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Robert L. Willson

Joseph S. McClamrock

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 5th, 1909.

E. E. Sturck

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No 40978 Action: Rejected

Name Claudia Moyer and X children. Residence: Lawrence, Kans.  
C re laskell Inst.

Reasons: Sister of 22001, and claims thro' same source.

No. 40978

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Claudia Meyer.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Claudia Mayer

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Lawrence 92 Haskell

3. County: Douglas Co. Institute

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 22 Born Aug 27. 1885

6. Where were you born? Wadswell, Ind. Terr.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: James Monroe Mayer

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Janet Barr (Mayer) Bell

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Janet Barr Luttrell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pennsylvania

Mother: North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: do not know

Mother: North Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died December 23<sup>rd</sup> 1888

Mother: Died August 31. 1900

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.            | BORN.          | DIED.         |
|-----|------------------|----------------|---------------|
| (1) | James Mayer      | May 20, 1887,  | —             |
|     | Donnaue 2 Tex.   |                |               |
| (2) | Sydney E. Mayer  | April 4, 1888  | Aug. 13, 1888 |
| (3) | Ruby M. Belt     | April 19, 1897 | July 17, 1898 |
| (4) | Edna E. Belt     | May 31, 1900   | —             |
|     | Armore Ind. Tex. |                |               |
| (5) |                  |                |               |
| (6) |                  |                |               |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

|                    |                            |
|--------------------|----------------------------|
| <u>do not know</u> | <u>Andrew J. Lintree</u>   |
|                    | <u>Margaret C. Lintree</u> |
|                    | <u>maiden name</u>         |
|                    | <u>Margaret Beane</u>      |

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina

Living on a farm near The Town of Asheville  
N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                    |                  |
|-----|--------------------|------------------|
| (1) | James (Mayer) Belt | Dead             |
| (2) | James J. Lintree   | Armore Ind. Tex. |
| (3) | William J. Lintree | Dead             |
| (4) | Charles A. Lintree | "                |
| (5) | Malie Hamilton     | "                |
| (6) | Marshall Paulin    | "                |
|     | Dudley Lintree     | "                |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Grandparents. Mr A. J. Sutter  
Mrs M. C. Sutter

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my grandfather A. J. Sutter was once  
enrolled at Salsgual Ind Terr. when the Dawes  
Commission met there. He received his allotting  
papers and a small sum of annuity money. The  
papers were lost and we could never account for  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and  
belief. His name may be found on the Cherokee roll there.

(Signature) Claudia Mayer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

Hugh Blair  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

28<sup>th</sup> Decr, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Cordelia Garvie  
and Rene Boismark, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Claudia Mayer  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for seventeen years and  
four years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Cordelia Garvie  
Rene Boismark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

28<sup>th</sup> December, 1909. Hugh Blair  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Claudia Meyer*  
*Hushee Institute*  
*Lawrence*  
*Kansas*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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WILLIAMSON PRINTING CO., DALLAS.

## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Kansas

COUNTY OF Douglas

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Claudia Mayer

for the county of Douglas state of Kansas do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioner's Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Haskell Institute Lawrence Kansas

Paula Garvin  
Ray B. Brown  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Claudia Mayer  
signature.

State of Kansas County of Douglas. Be it known on the 22 day of Aug 1907 personally appeared Claudia Mayer, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that he has not paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires 28 Dec 1909  
[L. S.]

Hugh Beasly  
Notary Public

And now to witness 24 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) two dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of August 1907

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Appln. No. 40978-22001.

March 25, 1908.

Claudio Moyer;

Lawrence, Kansas.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your  
parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were  
any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to  
establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. APR 6 1908

No. 40878

Application. No. 40978-22001.

Department of the Interior,

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,

Lawrence Kaussa

Haskell Inst.

April 2, 1908

Mr Simon Miller -

Special Commissioner of the  
Court of Claims  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter was received  
to day, and I will pay in  
behalf of my ancestors  
that none of them were  
ever slaves.

Not one of us every  
thought of being enrolled  
until about seven years  
ago. My grandfather's  
health was failing and  
we thought if we could

get the Indian Land and  
money that was ours  
by right. It would be  
so much help to us.

I do not remember the  
exact date of transfer.  
A. J. Luttrell applied for  
the enrollment of him  
self and children and  
their children. But it  
was when the Davis  
Commission met at  
Tulsa. The Capital  
of the Cherokee Nation.  
He was then enrolled  
and received his first

annuity money. or something  
of the sort amounting to  
eighteen <sup>dollars</sup> and thirty seven  
cents. He also received  
some papers. I think  
were called Claim papers.  
and Sam Mayes was  
Chief then at Teleguash  
and wrote on the papers.  
"I will buy this claim  
if you want to sell it."  
then signed his name.  
Isaiah took the  
papers to a man he  
thought to be his friend  
and showed them to him.



the now lives at Pryor Creek  
Oklahoma. Name J. W.  
Smith, and that was  
the last time the papers  
were seen. Grandpa died  
soon after, and Grandmother  
has tried a number of

times to get them, but  
has never been able to do  
so. Of course we do  
not know what became  
of them. But it is  
our belief, that there  
has been some play  
some where to cheat  
us off our rightful.

Department of the Interior,

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,

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possessions:-

It would be such a great joy. If I could prove my Indian Blood and could share with others in this Eastern Cherokee Fund, I do not believe my name is on the roll for grand father was only trying to prove his claim, and after that was settled, it would be an easy matter to get claims for his children & grand children. I do not know as much

about it as I would like.  
I was away all the  
time this happened  
and do not know all  
the particulars. but I  
do know my ancestors  
were Eastern Cherokee Indians  
for I have heard it every  
since I can remember.  
and nothing would  
please me better than  
to have my claim in  
this Eastern Cherokee fund  
proven.

Hoping you may gain  
a few helpful hints

from my letter, and that  
I may be one of the  
fortunate ones in this  
struggle for rights.

Love most Sincerely.

Claudia Mayer  
Lawrence Kansas  
March 2nd.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 2 1909  
No. 40978

*Reject  
notice*

AUG 2-1909

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Osage Indian Agency,

Pawhuska, Okla. July 29, 1909.

Guion Miller,  
Special Commissioner Court of Claims,  
Ouray Bldg., Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Will you please send me the number of my claim for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund. The notice you sent me, informing me that you had recommended that my claim be not allowed has been mislaid, and as I desire to file exception thereto, it is necessary that I have the number of my claim.

Very respectfully,

40978  
*Clara Moyer*

Address me

Mrs. E. L. Moore,  
Pawhuska, Okla. Box 349.

No. 40979.

Action: Rejected.

Name Roberta Hiser and 3 children. Residence: San Pedro, New Mexico

Reasons:

Daughter of #35146 and claims through the same source.

No. 40979

Name Roberta Hixson

With No. 35145

Remarks:



*Daughter of*  
*43-446*  
*40979*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Roberta Hiser*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT.  
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Mr Robert Hiser

Indian name:

Scott & Hersock

2. Residence and post office: San Pedro, New Mexico

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: New Mexico

5. How old are you? 26 yrs Born July 1st 1881

6. Where were you born? In Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wm Hiser age 30

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                | AGE.         | BORN.              |
|-----|----------------------|--------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Ruben M Hiser</u> | <u>7 yrs</u> | <u>13 Apr 1900</u> |
| (2) | <u>Virgil Hiser</u>  | <u>4 "</u>   | <u>16 Jan 1903</u> |
| (3) | <u>Roy E. Hiser</u>  | <u>2 "</u>   | <u>12 Feb 1905</u> |
| (4) | _____                | _____        | _____              |
| (5) | _____                | _____        | _____              |
| (6) | _____                | _____        | _____              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name:

Alex  
Elec Archer

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Elmeda Frances Archer

Indian name:

Scott & Hersock

Maiden name:

Elmeda Frances Collins

12. Where were they born?

Father:

In Tennessee

Mother:

" "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Born in Tennessee in 1854  
Mother: 1857

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living  
Mother: 1857

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.            | BORN.                     | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|---------------------------|-------|
| (1) | Willie P Archer  | Feb 24 <sup>th</sup> 1876 |       |
| (2) | Mattie J. Archer | Feb 30 <sup>th</sup> 1879 |       |
| (3) | Samuel H. Archer | Aug 3 1884                |       |
| (4) | John L. Archer   | Feb 14, 1887              |       |
| (5) | Addie E. Archer  | Sept 14 1889              |       |
| (6) |                  |                           |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Eliza Collins  
nee Collins  
Scott & Hescok Indian names

18. Where were they born? In Carolina North or Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                   |  |
|-----|-------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>don't know</u> |  |
| (2) |                   |  |
| (3) |                   |  |
| (4) |                   |  |
| (5) |                   |  |
| (6) |                   |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grand mother Eliza Collins  
nee Collins Scott & Herscock Indian names  
Great Grand father Jerry Collins & Rebecca Collins  
Great Mother nee Scott Indian name

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Great Great Grandparents Lemuel Scott &  
Pernellia Scott, nee Herscock, both Cherokee  
Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Roberta Hiser  
James Carruthers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 7, 1908.

Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. W. Beaton

and

W. J. M. Tennison

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mrs Roberta Hiser

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for her years and

her years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Beaton  
W. J. M. Tennison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 7, 1908.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Mr Roberta Hises*  
*San Pedro*  
*New Mexico*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF New Mex  
COUNTY OF Santa Fe

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Mrs Roberta Hiser nee Archer  
for the county of Santa Fe state of New Mexico do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioner's Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is San Pedro New Mexico

Geo Beaton  
Ed McJennison  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Roberta Hiser  
Signature.

State of N. M. County of Santa Fe. Be it known on the 21 day of Aug 1907  
personally appeared Mrs Roberta Hiser, who after having read over to her  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Jan 7 1908  
[L. S.]

James Canithur

And now to witness 24 day of Aug 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) two dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of August 1907

Notary Public  
Notary Public

No. 40980.

Name Harvey Smith and 1 children. Action: Reject.

Reasons: Brother of #36135, Residence: Wells Ark.

No. 40980  
Name Warren J. Smith  
With No. 31/21  
Remarks:



40980

No. ....

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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**APPLICATION**

**OF**

*Harren Jackson Smith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

**FILED BY**

**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**

**CLERK**

**KONAWA - IND. TER.**

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: .....

Indian name: *Hannen Jackson Smith*

2. Residence and post office: *Dell*

3. County: *Musashi County*

4. State: *Ark*

5. How old are you? *36*

Born

*May the 2 1870*

6. Where were you born? *Near Hardy Ark*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband *25 year*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                     | AGE.          | BORN.       |
|-----|---------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| (1) | <i>Hannen Oscar Smith</i> | <i>10 yrs</i> | <i>1896</i> |
| (2) | .....                     | .....         | .....       |
| (3) | .....                     | .....         | .....       |
| (4) | .....                     | .....         | .....       |
| (5) | .....                     | .....         | .....       |
| (6) | .....                     | .....         | .....       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: .....

Indian name: *Smith*

Mother—English name: *Ellen Baldridge Smith*

Indian name: .....

Maiden name: *Ellen Baldridge*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Near Knoxville Tenn*

Mother: .....

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: 15- Knoxville Tenn

Mother: Near Knoxville Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died Nov 6 1878 Sharps Co

Mother: died Near Searcy Arkansas

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                | BORN.    | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|----------|-------|
| (1) | A B Smith            | Marietta |       |
|     | John Smith           |          |       |
| (2) | S E Smith            |          |       |
| (3) | Mary Jane Cinningham |          |       |
| (4) | Elizzie Striers      |          |       |
| (5) |                      |          |       |
| (6) |                      |          |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Benjamin Smith  
Walker English Name Betsy Langbottom

18. Where were they born? Don't No

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? 15- Miles ab Knoxville Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |          |       |
|-----|----------|-------|
| (1) | Benjamin | Smith |
| (2) | Thomas   | Smith |
| (3) | Wiley    | Smith |
| (4) | Eliza    | Smith |
| (5) | Alfred   | Smith |
| (6) |          |       |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Our People have always claimed to be Cherokee and never except to claim any other than that. Rev. Wase at Lake City said that we are Cherokee.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Harmon Jackson Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Aug 1907.

My Commission Expires April 27, 1911

My commission expires

W. U. Baker

Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. F. Mooney

and J. A. Neohle, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Harmon Jackson Smith who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person as he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

x J. F. Mooney  
x J. A. Neohle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

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W. U. Baker

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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For *Harran Jackson*  
*Dell*

*Ark*  
*Miss County*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF

Arkansas

COUNTY OF

Miss

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I

Herran Jackson Smith

for the county of

Miss

state of

Arkansas

do hereby

make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Stell Ark

J. H. Mooney  
J. R. Stubble  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Herran Jackson Smith  
Signature.

State of

Ark

County of

Miss

Be it known on the 17 day of Aug 1907

personally appeared Herran Jackson Smith, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My Commission Expires April 27, 1911  
My commission expires 190

W. U. Dake

[L. S.]

And now to witness 24 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this

24 day of

August 1907

W. U. Dake  
Notary Public

Name David G. Reape and 4 children. No. 40981 Action: Refect  
Residence: Helena, Tenn.

Reasons:

Great Nephew to Eli Atkins (37096)  
and Cousins through same line.

No. 40981-5.

Name .....

With No. 37096.

Remarks:

David G. Regan  
Jno. H. "  
Jesse A.

David M.  
Mary J. B. Nation

No. 10081

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

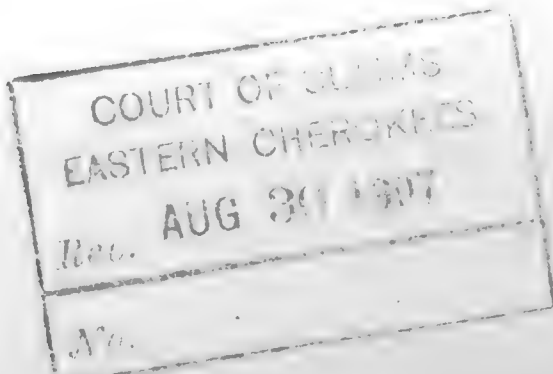
APPLICATION

OF

*David G. Reagan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*W. J. Chilton, Atty.*  
*W. H. Reagan*  
*Byrdstown,*  
*Tenn.*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

David G. Reagan

Indian name:

I do not know

2. Residence and post office:

DeWitt Co. Tenn. - P.O. Helena, Tenn.

3. County:

DeWitt

4. State:

Tennessee

5. How old are you?

43

Born

About December 1864.

6. Where were you born?

DeWitt Co., Tenn.

7. Are you married?

Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Tennessee Isabell Reagan - About 38.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| NAME.                  | AGE. | BORN.          |
|------------------------|------|----------------|
| (1)                    |      |                |
| (2) Alta A. Reagan     | 14   | June 29, 1893. |
| (3) Henry G. Reagan    | 10   | Jan 2, 1897.   |
| (4) Willie B. Reagan   | 7    | Sept 20, 1899. |
| (5) Virginia A. Reagan | 5    | June 12, 1902. |
| (6)                    |      |                |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

John Reagan

Indian name:

Not of Indian descent.

Mother—English name:

Melinda Reagan

Indian name:

Not known.

Maiden name:

Melinda Adams.

12. Where were they born?

Father:

DeWitt Co., Tenn.

Mother:

East Tennessee.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress Co. Tenn. (Not married)

Mother: East Tennessee (Not married)

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1876

Mother: Feb. 26, 1907.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                      | BORN.              | DIED.                          |
|-----|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Wm Reagan</u>           | <u>About 1859.</u> | <u>Res. Missouri</u>           |
|     | <u>Mary Reagan now</u>     |                    |                                |
| (2) | <u>Ros</u>                 | <u>" 1861</u>      | <u>Res. Fentress Co. Tenn.</u> |
|     | <u>General Reagan</u>      | <u>" 1863</u>      | <u>Res. Missouri.</u>          |
| (3) | <u>Angelina Reagan now</u> |                    |                                |
|     | <u>Stinson</u>             | <u>" 1865</u>      | <u>Res. Fentress Co. Tenn.</u> |
| (4) | <u>Sarah Reagan now</u>    |                    |                                |
|     | <u>Dishman</u>             | <u>" 1867</u>      | <u>Res. Fentress Co. Tenn.</u> |
| (5) | <u>George Reagan</u>       | <u>1868</u>        | <u>" " "</u>                   |
|     | <u>Jerry A. Reagan</u>     | <u>" 1874</u>      | <u>" " "</u>                   |
| (6) | <u>John H. Reagan</u>      | <u>March, 1875</u> | <u>" " "</u>                   |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                     | MOTHER'S SIDE.                        |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <u>Wm Reagan Sr. (Eng)</u>         | <u>Jarvis Green Adkins (Eng name)</u> |
| <u>Molly Reagan (Eng)</u>          | <u>Mary Adkins (Eng)</u>              |
| <u>Above not of Indian descent</u> | <u>Don't know Indian name of</u>      |
|                                    | <u>Jarvis Green Adkins.</u>           |

18. Where were they born? Jarvis Green Adkins + wife in North Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wm Reagan in North Carolina. Molly Adkins in Fentress Co. Tenn.

Jarvis Green Adkins + wife in East Tenn. The others in Fentress Co. Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |   |                           |
|-----|---|---------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Eli Adkins</u>                         | <u>Fentress Co. Tenn.</u> |
| (2) | <u>George Adkins Sr.</u>                  | <u>Dead.</u>              |
| (3) | <u>Melinda Adkins now Reagan (Mother)</u> | <u>"</u>                  |
| (4) | <u>Jane Adkins (nee) Hunt</u>             | <u>"</u>                  |
| (5) | <u>Elizabeth Adkins (nee) Carter</u>      | <u>"</u>                  |
| (6) | <u>Rene Adkins (nee) Sharp</u>            | <u>"</u>                  |
|     | <u>Permelia Adkins (nee) York</u>         | <u>"</u>                  |
|     | <u>John Reagan Jr</u>                     | <u>Oulton Co. Tenn.</u>   |
|     | <u>John Reagan (Father)</u>               | <u>Dead.</u>              |
|     | <u>Ann Reagan</u>                         | <u>Fentress Co. Tenn.</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: On my father's and his father's side the name (Eng) is Reagan. On my mother's and her father's side the name is Addins. I do not know Indian name.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim Indian descent through my grandfather Jarvis Green Addins and his mother Melina Addins formerly Green. My mother Melina da Reagan formerly Addins was a sister of Jarvis Addins whose application was made as an Eastern Cherokee heretofore about July 11, 1907. I refer to his application as showing additional facts as to the descent of said Jarvis Green Addins and his connection with the tribe. My wife has made application heretofore for herself and our children. I have always claimed to be part Cherokee Indian.  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Attest:

O. T. Amorett (Signature) David G. Reagan  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

O. T. Amorett  
Co. C. C. C. Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. S. Wood  
and J. D. Wright, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with David G. Reagan who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. S. Wood  
J. D. Wright  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

O. T. Amorett  
Co. C. C. C. Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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AT AUG 21 1935  
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A. H. ROBERTS,  
LIVINGSTON, TENN.

W. J. CHILTON,  
BYRDSTOWN, TENN.

ROBERTS & CHILTON  
LAWYERS  
BYRDSTOWN, TENNESSEE.

ME., 27, 1907.

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Washington, D. C.,

Dear Sir:-

We enclose you herewith several Eastern Cherokee applications together with a Power of Attorney in each case. In some instances two or more of the parties are joined together in one Power of Attorney. I hope these applications will get in in time to be filed. I understand that they will be in time if they reach you on the 31st inst whether they are actually filed on that day or not. It is presumed they will be filed as of the day when they are actually received.

Yours truly,

W. J. Chilton  
W. H. Reagan.

Powers of Attorney  
of

David G. Reagan.

to

W. J. Chilton

W. H. Reagan

Bryantown, Tenn.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Know all men by these Presents, That I David G. Reagan

of the County of Fentress, and state of Tennessee, have this day made, constituted, and appointed W. J. Chilton and W. H. Reagan of Byrdstown, Tennessee, my true and lawful Attorneys for me and my children in my name, place and stead to prosecute before the Court of Claims a claim for our pro rata of money out of the fund appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee by Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906; and I do hereby give to said Attorneys or either of them full power and authority to do any and all acts whatsoever necessary to be done in connection with said claim; and said Attorneys or either of them are given full power and authority to receive and receipt for any and all moneys due me and my children out of said fund or appropriation, and I do hereby agree to fully ratify and confirm all things that said Attorneys or either of them do in connection with said claim, as fully as if done by me or could be done by me if personally present at the doing thereof. This Aug., 26, 1907.

David G. Reagan  
mark.

State of Tennessee, #  
County of Pickett. #

Personally appeared before me O. T.  
Amoritt, Clerk of the County Court of said County,  
David G. Reagan, whose name.. is signed above to said Power of Attorney, with whom I am personally acquainted, and who acknowledged the execution of said Power of Attorney for the purposes therein contained. I do certify that I have no interest either present or prospective in the claim mentioned in said Power of Attorney.  
This Aug., 26, 1907.

O. T. Amoritt  
Co. Clerk.

No. 40982

Action: *Repet*

Name *John H. Reppan* and 1 children. Residence: *Helena, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Great Nephew to Eli Atkins (37096)  
and Atkins through same line...*



No. 10082

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John H. Reagan.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*W. J. Chilton*  
*W. H. Reagan* *Att'y*  
*Birdsoun, Tenn.*  
*6-2007*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*John H. Reagan*

Indian name:

*I don't know any Indian name.*

2. Residence and post office:

*Fentress Co. Tenn. - P.O. Heleval, Tenn.*

3. County:

*Fentress*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*32*

Born

*March 4, 1875.*

6. Where were you born?

*Fentress Co. Tenn.*

7. Are you married?

*Yes.*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Ermine Reagan - 33 yrs old.*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*None that I know of.*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.               | AGE.     | BORN.                |
|-----|---------------------|----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Lilly Reagan</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>Jan 26, 1902.</i> |
| (2) |                     |          |                      |
| (3) |                     |          |                      |
| (4) |                     |          |                      |
| (5) |                     |          |                      |
| (6) |                     |          |                      |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*John Reagan*

Indian name:

*Not of Indian descent*

Mother—English name:

*Melinda Reagan*

Indian name:

*Not known*

Maiden name:

*Melinda Adkins*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Fentress Co. Tenn.*

Mother:

*East Tennessee.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress Co. Tenn (not married)

Mother: East Tennessee (not married)

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1877

Mother: Feb. 26, 1907

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                       | BORN.             | DIED.                         |
|-----|----------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Wm Reagan</u>           | <u>about 1859</u> | <u>Res. Missouri</u>          |
|     | <u>Mary Reagan now</u>     |                   |                               |
| (2) | <u>Ross</u>                | <u>" 1861</u>     | <u>Res</u>                    |
|     | <u>General Reagan</u>      | <u>" 1863</u>     | <u>Fentress Co. Tenn.</u>     |
| (3) | <u>Angeline Reagan now</u> |                   | <u>Res Missouri</u>           |
|     | <u>Stinson</u>             | <u>" 1865</u>     | <u>Res Fentress Co. Tenn.</u> |
| (4) | <u>Sarah Reagan now</u>    |                   |                               |
|     | <u>Dishman</u>             | <u>" 1867</u>     | <u>" " "</u>                  |
| (5) | <u>George Reagan</u>       | <u>" 1868</u>     | <u>" " "</u>                  |
|     | <u>Very A. Reagan</u>      | <u>" 1873</u>     | <u>" " "</u>                  |
| (6) | <u>David Reagan</u>        | <u>" 1864</u>     | <u>" " "</u>                  |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                     | MOTHER'S SIDE.                        |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <u>Wm Reagan Sr (Eng)</u>          | <u>Jarvis Green Adkins (Eng name)</u> |
| <u>Molly Reagan (Eng)</u>          | <u>Mary Adkins (Eng)</u>              |
| <u>Above not of Indian descent</u> | <u>Don't know Indian name</u>         |
|                                    | <u>of Jarvis Green Adkins</u>         |

18. Where were they born? Jarvis Green Adkins & wife in North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wm Reagan Sr. in North Carolina. Molly Reagan in Fentress Co. Tenn.

Jarvis Green Adkins & wife in East Tenn. The others in Fentress Co. Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |   |                           |
|-----|---|---------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Eli Adkins</u>                         | <u>Fentress Co. Tenn.</u> |
| (2) | <u>George Adkins Sr.</u>                  | <u>Dead.</u>              |
| (3) | <u>Melinda Adkins now Reagan (Mother)</u> | <u>"</u>                  |
| (4) | <u>Jane Adkins (nee) Hunt</u>             | <u>"</u>                  |
| (5) | <u>Elizabeth Adkins (nee) Carter</u>      | <u>"</u>                  |
| (6) | <u>Rene Adkins (nee) Sharp</u>            | <u>"</u>                  |
|     | <u>Bermelia Adkins (nee) Cook</u>         | <u>"</u>                  |
|     | <u>Paul Reagan Jr</u>                     | <u>Oulton Co. Tenn.</u>   |
|     | <u>Jim Reagan (nee) Ward</u>              | <u>Fentress Co. Tenn.</u> |
|     | <u>Sam Reagan (Father)</u>                | <u>Dead.</u>              |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None known to me.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: On my father's and his father's side the Eng. name is Reagan. On my mother's and her father's side the name is Adkins. I don't know Indian name. I never heard it.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim Indian descent through my mother Melinda Adkins (nee) Reagan who was a daughter of Jarvis Green Adkins and a sister of Eli Adkins who has made application heretofore about July 11, 1907. Said Jarvis Green Adkins was part Cherokee Indian and as I understand was a member of the tribe in 1835-6, and there after. I refer you to application of said Eli Adkins as showing additional facts touching my Indian descent. I have always been taught by my parents that I am part Cherokee Indian.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) John H. Reagan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug. 1907.

John Lacey.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 23rd 1911-1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Adkins  
and F. M. Stinson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John H. Reagan who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 36 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John Adkins  
F. M. Stinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

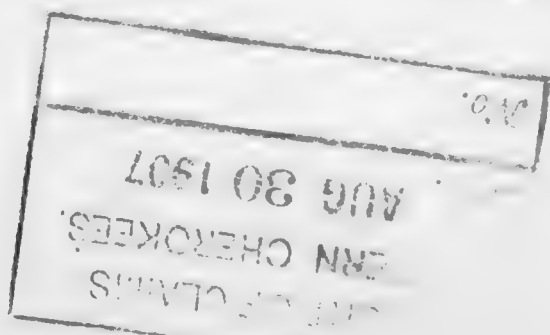
Jan. 23rd 1911-1908.

John Lacey.  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Power of Atty  
John H. Reagan  
Jerry A. Reagan



W. G. Chilton } Atty.  
W. H. Reagan }  
Bridgetown  
Jamaica

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Know all Men in these Presents, That we the Undersigned of the county of Fayette state of Tennessee, have this day made, constituted, and appointed W. J. Chilton and W. H. Reagan of Byrdstown, Tennessee true and lawful Attorneys for us and in our name to prosecute before any Department, or the Courts, of the United States until final completion, our claim ~~for~~ for our pro rata part of the fund to be distributed to the Eastern Cherokees in accordance with a Decree of May 28, 1906, as modified by an Order of April 29, 1907, made by the Court of Claims of the U. S. as touching the rights of the Cherokee Indians or their descendants living East of the Mississippi river; and we do hereby give to our said Attorneys or either of them full power and authority to receive and receipt for any and all moneys due us out of said fund; and we do hereby agree to ratify and confirm all that our said Attorneys or either of them do in connection with said claim as fully as if done by us or could be done by us if personally present at the doing thereof. This Aug., 24, 1907.

John H. Reagan  
Gerry A. Reagan

State of Tennessee, #  
County of Pickett #

Personally appeared before me, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid \_\_\_\_\_

John H. Reagan and Gerry A. Reagan

the persons.. whose names appear above as executing said Power of Attorney, with whom I am personally acquainted, and who acknowledged that they executed said Power of Attorney for the purposes therein contained. I do further certify that I have no interest whatever in the claim mentioned therein. This Aug., 24, 1907.

John Laay  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 23rd 1911

No. 40983

Action:

Reject

Name

Jerry A. Reagan and 1 children.

Residence:

Helena, Tenn.

Reasons:

Nephew to Eli Atkins (37096) and  
(0) ... through same line.

No. 40083

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jerry A. Reagan.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*W. J. Chittow*

*Atty*

*W. H. Reagan*

*Byrdstown, Tenn.*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Jerry A. Reagan*

Indian name:

*I don't know.*

2. Residence and post office:

*Fentress Co. Tenn. - P.O. Helena, Tenn.*

3. County:

*Fentress*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*33*

Born

*Sept. 1874*

6. Where were you born?

*Fentress Co. Tenn.*

7. Are you married?

*Yes.*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Sarah J. Reagan - 27 yrs old.*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*None that I know of.*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME              | AGE.     | BORN.                 |
|-----|-------------------|----------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Ada Reagan</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>March 14, 1904</i> |
| (2) |                   |          |                       |
| (3) |                   |          |                       |
| (4) |                   |          |                       |
| (5) |                   |          |                       |
| (6) |                   |          |                       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*John Reagan*

Indian name:

*Not of Indian descent.*

Mother—English name:

*Melinda Reagan*

Indian name:

*Not known.*

Maiden name:

*Melinda Adkins*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Fentress Co. Tenn.*

Mother:

*East Tennessee*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress Co. Tenn. (not married)

Mother: East Tennessee (not married)

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1877.

Mother: Feb. 26, 1907.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                     | BORN.      | DIED.              |
|-----|--------------------------|------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Wm Reagan                | About 1859 | Res. Missouri      |
|     | Mary Reagan now Ross     | " 1861.    | Fentress Co. Tenn. |
| (2) | General Reagan           | " 1868     | Missouri           |
|     | Angeline Reagan now      |            |                    |
| (3) | Stinson                  | " 1865.    | Fentress Co. Tenn. |
|     | Sarah Reagan now Dishman | 1867.      | " " "              |
| (4) | George Reagan            | " 1868     | " " "              |
|     | Dave Reagan              | " 1864     | " " "              |
| (5) | John H. Reagan           | " 1875     | " " "              |
| (6) |                          |            |                    |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.               | MOTHER'S SIDE.                                 |
|------------------------------|--|
| Wm Reagan Sr. (Eng)          | Jarvis Green Adkins (Eng name)                 |
| Molly Reagan (Eng)           | Mary Adkins (Eng)                              |
| Above not of Indian descent. | Don't know Indian name of Jarvis Green Adkins. |

18. Where were they born? Jarvis Green Adkins + wife in North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wm Reagan Sr. in N.C. Molly Reagan in Fentress Co. Tenn.

Jarvis Green Adkins in East Tenn. The other in Fentress Co. Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                                      |                    |
|-----|--------------------------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Eli Adkins                           | Fentress Co. Tenn. |
| (2) | George Adkins Sr.                    | Dead.              |
| (3) | Melinda Adkins (nee) Reagan (Mother) | "                  |
| (4) | Jane Adkins (nee) Hunt               | "                  |
| (5) | Elizabeth Adkins (nee) Carter        | "                  |
| (6) | Rene Adkins (nee) Sharp              | "                  |
|     | Cornelia Adkins (nee) York           | "                  |
|     | Joel Reagan Jr.                      | Orion Co. Tenn.    |
|     | Ann Reagan (nee) Wood                | Fentress Co. Tenn. |
|     | John Reagan (Father)                 | Dead.              |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No - not that I know of.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: On my father's and his father's side the Eng. name is Reagan. On my mother's and her father's side the name is Adams. Don't know Indian name.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts, which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My mother Melinda Reagan, formerly Adams was a daughter of Jarvis Greek Adams and a sister of Eli Adams who has made application as an Eastern Cherokee heretofore about July 11, 1907. I understand said Jarvis Greek Adams was a member of what is known as the Eastern Cherokee tribe till the date of Treaty in 1835-6 and thereafter, he was my own grand father. I have always been taught that I was part Cherokee Indian. I refer you to application of Eli Adams of July 1907 as showing additional facts. He is my uncle.  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Jerry A. Reagan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug. 1907.

John Gray  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 23rd 1911, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Adams

and F. M. Stinson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Jerry A. Reagan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John Adams  
F. M. Stinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 23rd 1911, 1907. John Gray  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 40984  
Name David M. Matthews and 3 children. Action: Reprot.  
Reasons: Residence: Oakley Tenn.

Nephew to Eli Atkins (37096) and  
Claims through the same line.



No. 50981

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

David M. Mathews.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Wm. H. Shotton, Atty.  
Wm. H. Shotton  
Wm. H. Shotton  
Wm. H. Shotton*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: David M. Mathews

Indian name: I never heard the Indian name.

2. Residence and post office: Overton Co., Tenn. - P.O. Oakley, Tenn.

3. County: Overton

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 40 Born June 13, 1867.

6. Where were you born? Putnass Co., Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy A. Mathews - 32 yrs. old.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                      | AGE.      | BORN.             |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>Rose Althas Mathews</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>Feb. 1894.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Edmond Mathews</u>      | <u>12</u> | <u>Aug. 1895.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Mary Ann Mathews</u>    | <u>9</u>  | <u>Dec 1898.</u>  |
| (4) |                            |           |                   |
| (5) |                            |           |                   |
| (6) |                            |           |                   |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Elisha Mathews

Indian name: Not of Indian descent.

Mother—English name: Miranda Mathews

Indian name: I don't know. I never heard it.

Maiden name: Miranda Adkins.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Putnass Co., Tenn.

Mother: East Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress Co. Tenn. (not married)

Mother: East Tennessee (not married)

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1872

Mother: Jan 19, 1900.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never that I know of. I

know my father wasn't for he was not of Indian descent.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                 | BORN.         | DIED.              |
|-----|----------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Joseph Green Mathews | June 5, 1860  | Res. Oakley, Tenn. |
| (2) | Matthew W. Mathews   | Dec. 4, 1862  | " "                |
|     | Mary J. B. Mathews   |               |                    |
| (3) | now Nation           | June 15, 1864 | " "                |
|     | Mahaly Ann Mathews   |               |                    |
| (4) | now Jewell           | Jan. 1870     | Dead.              |
| (5) |                      |               |                    |
| (6) |                      |               |                    |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.               | MOTHER'S SIDE.                                   |
|------------------------------|--|
| Joseph Mathews (Eng)         | Jarvis Green Adkins (Eng. name)                  |
| Myra Mathews (Eng)           | Mary Adkins (Eng)                                |
| Above not of Indian descent. | I don't know Indian name of Jarvis Green Adkins. |

18. Where were they born? Jarvis Green Adkins + wife in North Carolina

Joseph Mathews + wife in Fentress Co. Tenn. is my understanding.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Jarvis Green Adkins + wife in East Tenn., the others in Fentress Co. Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                                       |                    |
|-----|---------------------------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Eli Adkins                            | Fentress Co. Tenn. |
| (2) | George Adkins Sr.                     | Dead.              |
| (3) | Mary Hunt (nee) Adkins                | "                  |
| (4) | Elizabeth Carter (nee) Adkins         | "                  |
| (5) | Rene Sharpe (nee) Adkins              | "                  |
| (6) | Hermelia York (nee) Adkins            | "                  |
|     | Melinda Reagan (nee) Adkins           | "                  |
|     | Miranda Mathews (nee) Adkins (mother) | "                  |
|     | Elisaca Mathews (father)              | "                  |
|     | Dalton Mathews                        | Fentress Co. Tenn. |
|     | Wm Mathews                            | Missouri           |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: On my father's and his father's side,  
the name is Mathews (they have no Indian blood) On my mother's side  
and her father's, the name is Addins (Eng). I don't know the  
Indian names. I have heard that "Green" or "Blond" was the Indian  
name though I don't know. REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim Indian descent through Jarvis Green Addins and his mother  
Miriam Addins formerly Green. They were part Cherokee Indian. My  
mother Miranda Addins was a daughter of said Jarvis Green Addins  
and a sister of Eli Addins who has made application as an Eastern  
Cherokee heretofore on or about July 11, 1907. I refer you to said application  
as showing additional facts. He is my uncle. I have always been  
taught that I am of Cherokee descent, and always claimed it. I understand  
that said Jarvis Green Addins was a member of Eastern Cherokee tribe at date  
of the Treaty of 1835-6 and thereafter.  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and  
belief.

(Signature) David M. Mathews.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug. 1907.

Jess. H. Hargrove  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct. 14, 1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Porter Payton  
and R. M. Pryor, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with David M. Mathews  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and  
30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Porter Payton  
R. M. Pryor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Oct. 14<sup>th</sup>, 1907. Jess. H. Hargrove  
Notary Public.

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POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I David M. Mathews

of the County of Overton, State of Tennessee, have this day made, constituted, and appointed W. J. Chilton and W. H. Reagan of Myrdstown, Tennessee, my true and lawful Attorneys, to prosecute for me and in my name and stead before the Court of Claims, until final completion, my claim.. for me pro rata of money appropriated by Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, for the Eastern Cherokee Indians; and I do hereby give to my said Attorneys or either of them full power and authority to receive and receipt for any and all moneys due me out of said appropriation;; and I give to said Attorneys or either of them full power and authority to do and perform all and every act whatsoever necessary to be done in connection with said claims., and I do hereby agree to fully ratify and confirm all things that said Attorneys or either of them do in connection with said claims as fully as if done by me or could be done by me if personally present at the doing thereof. This Aug., 26 1907.

David M. Mathews  
mark.

State of Tennessee,

County of Overton

J. Hargrove, Personally appeared before me Jno.  
for said County and State. a notary public in and  
David M. Mathews

whose name.. appears above signed to said Power of Attorney, with whom I am personally acquainted, and who acknowledged that he executed said Power of Attorney for the purposes therein contained. I do further say that I have no interest in the claim.. mentioned in said Power of Attorney. This Aug., 26, 1907.

My commission expires, Oct. 14 <sup>th</sup> 1907.

Jno. Hargrove  
Notary Public.



POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I David M. Mathews

of the County of Overton, State of Tennessee, have this day made, constituted, and appointed W. J. Chilton and W. H. Reagan of Myrdstown, Tennessee, my true and lawful Attorneys, to prosecute for me and in my name and stand before the Court of Claims, until final completion, my claim.. for me pro rata of money appropriated by Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, for the Eastern Cherokee Indians; and I do hereby give to my said Attorneys or either of them full power and authority to receive and receipt for any and all moneys due me out of said appropriation;; and I give to said Attorneys or either of them full power and authority to do and perform all and every act whatsoever necessary to be done in connection with said claims., and I do hereby agree to fully ratify and confirm all things that said Attorneys or either of them do in connection with said claims. as fully as if done by me or could be done by me if personally present at the doing thereof. This Aug., 26 1907.

David M. Mathews  
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State of Tennessee,

County of Overton

Personally appeared before me Jno.  
Hargrove, a Notary Public in and  
for said County and State.  
David M. Mathews

whose name.. appears above signed to said Power of Attorney, with whom I am personally acquainted, and who acknowledged that he executed said Power of Attorney for the purposes therein contained. I do further say that I have no interest in the claim.. mentioned in said Power of Attorney. This Aug., 26, 1907.

My commission expires Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> 1907.

Jno. Hargrove  
Notary Public.

No. 40986

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mary J. B. Nation* and 4 children. Residence: *Oakley, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Niece to Eli Adkins (37096) and  
Claims through same line.*



No. 40985

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary J. B. Nation*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*W. H. Chilton*

*W. H. Reagin*

*W. H. Chilton*

*W. H. Reagin*

*W. H. Chilton*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Mary J. B. Nation*

Indian name:

*I don't know - never heard it.*

2. Residence and post office:

*Overtown Co. Tenn. - P.O. Oakley, Tenn.*

3. County:

*Overtown*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*43*

Born

*June 15, 1864.*

6. Where were you born?

*Fentress Co. Tenn.*

7. Are you married?

*Yes.*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Thomas Nation - 36 yrs old.*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*None that I know of.*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.     | BORN.                 |
|-----|--------------------------|----------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Carrie M. Nation</i>  | <i>9</i> | <i>Dec. 27, 1897.</i> |
| (2) | <i>Israh A. Nation</i>   | <i>7</i> | <i>Nov. 26, 1899.</i> |
| (3) | <i>William T. Nation</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>Aug. 31, 1902.</i> |
| (4) | <i>Clay M. Nation</i>    | <i>2</i> | <i>Jan. 11, 1905.</i> |
| (5) |                          |          |                       |
| (6) |                          |          |                       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Elisha Mathews*

Indian name:

*Not of Indian descent*

Mother—English name:

*Miranda Mathews*

Indian name:

*I don't know it.*

Maiden name:

*Miranda Adkins.*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Fentress Co. Tenn.*

Mother:

*East Tennessee.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Centers Co. Tenn. (Not married)

Mother: East Tennessee (Not married)

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1872

Mother: Jan. 19, 1900.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of.

My father never - He was not of Indian descent.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                 | BORN.          | RES.          | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|----------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Joseph Green Mathews | June 5, 1865   | Oakley, Tenn. |       |
| (2) | Matthew W. Mathews   | Dec. 4, 1862.  | "             | "     |
| (3) | David M. Mathews     | June 15, 1867. | "             | "     |
| (4) | Mahaly Ann Mathews   |                |               |       |
| (5) | Now Sewell           | Jan. 1870      |               | Dead. |
| (6) |                      |                |               |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.              | MOTHER'S SIDE.                                   |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Joseph Mathews (Eng)        | Jarvis Green Adkins (Eng name)                   |
| Myra Mathews (Eng)          | Mary Adkins (Eng)                                |
| Abbe not of Indian descent. | I don't know Indian name of Jarvis Green Adkins. |

18. Where were they born? Jarvis Green Adkins & wife in North Carolina.  
Joseph Mathews & wife in Centers Co., Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Jarvis Green Adkins & wife in East Tenn. the others in Centers Co. Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                                       |                   |
|-----|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | Eli Adkins                            | Centers Co. Tenn. |
| (2) | George Adkins Sr.                     | Dead.             |
| (3) | Jane Thiel (nee) Adkins               | "                 |
| (4) | Elizabeth Carter (nee) Adkins         | "                 |
| (5) | Rene Sharp (nee) Adkins               | "                 |
| (6) | Permelia Gork (nee) Adkins            | "                 |
|     | Melinda Reagan (nee) Adkins           | "                 |
|     | Miranda Mathews (nee) Adkins (mother) | "                 |
|     | Elisha Mathews (Futher)               | "                 |
|     | Dalton Mathews                        | Centers Co. Tenn. |
|     | Wm Mathews                            | Missouri          |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: On my father's and his father's side the name is Mathews. On my mother's and her father's side the name is Adkins. I don't know Indian of the Adkins

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim Indian descent, through Jarvis Green Adkins and his mother Miriam Adkins, formerly Green. They were part Cherokee Indians. My mother Miranda Adkins was a daughter of said Jarvis Green Adkins and a sister of Edw. Adkins who has made application as showing additional facts. He is my uncle. I have always been taught by my parents that I am part Cherokee Indian. I have always claimed a grandparent that said Jarvis Green Adkins was a member of Cherokee tribe in 1835-6. I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary J. B. Nation

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

Jno. A. Hargrave

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct. 14<sup>th</sup>

1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me R. M. Pryor

and Eunice Hargrave

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mary J. B. Nation

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. M. Pryor

Eunice Hargrave

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct. 14<sup>th</sup>

1907.

Jno. A. Hargrave

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Power of Attorney  
of  
Mary J. B. Nation,

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Witness my hand  
at New York, this  
1st day of June, 1881  
Mary J. B. Nation

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Know all men by these presents, That W. J. Chilton and W. J. Hagan of

May B. Nation

of the County of DeKalb, State of Tennessee, have this day

constituted, and appointed W. J. Chilton and W. J. Hagan of  
and in our name and stead before the Court of Claims, until final  
completion, our claim, for our pro rata or money appropriated by Act  
of Congress approved June 30, 1906, for the Eastern Cherokee Indians;  
We do hereby give to our said Attorneys or either of them full power  
and authority to receive and receipt for any and all moneys due us out  
of said appropriation; and we give to said Attorneys or either of  
them full power and authority to do and perform all and every act what-  
soever necessary to be done in connection with said claim, and we  
do hereby agree to fully ratify and confirm all things that said Attor-  
neys or either of them do in connection with said claim, as fully as  
if done by us or could be done by us if personally present at the  
acting thereof. This Aug. 26, 1907.

Witness to May B. Nation mark,

Agnes Taylor  
DeKalb County

Thomas A. Nation  
May B. Nation  
mom

State of Tennessee, #  
County of DeKalb #

Agnes Taylor, a Native residing in DeKalb County  
West State, Tenn. Nation and May B. Nation  
personally appeared before me Joe H.

whose name appears above signed to said Power of Attorney, with whom  
I am personally acquainted, and who acknowledged that they executed  
said Power of Attorney for the purposes therein contained. I do further  
say that I have no interest in the claim. Mentioned in said Power of  
Attorney. This Aug. 26, 1907.

Joe H. Hagan  
Notary Public  
My commission expires Oct 14, 1907.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Thos. Nation and wife  
Mary J. B. Nation

of the County of Overtou, State of Tennessee, have this day made, constituted, and appointed W. J. Chilton and W. H. Reagan of Byrdstown, Tennessee, our true and lawful Attorneys, to prosecute for us and in our name and stead before the Court of Claims, until final completion, our claim for our pro rata of money appropriated by Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, for the Eastern Cherokee Indians; we do hereby give to our said Attorneys or either of them full power and authority to receive and receipt for any and all moneys due us out of said appropriation; and we give to said Attorneys or either of them full power and authority to do and perform all and every act whatsoever necessary to be done in connection with said claim, and we do hereby agree to fully ratify and confirm all things that said Attorneys or either of them do in connection with said claim as fully as if done by us or could be done by us if personally present at the doing thereof. This Aug., 26, 1907.

Witness to Mary J. B. Nation mark,  
A. M. Hargrove,  
Parties Pay for.

Thos. Nation  
Mary J. B. Nation  
mark

State of Tennessee, #

County of Overtou #

Personally appeared before me Jno. A. Hargrove, a Notary Public in and for said county and State, Thos. Nation and Mary J. B. Nation

whose names appear above signed to said Power of Attorney, with whom I am personally acquainted, and who acknowledged that they executed said Power of Attorney for the purposes therein contained. I do further say that I have no interest in the claim mentioned in said Power of Attorney. This Aug., 26, 1907.

My Commission expires Oct. 14, 1907.

Jno. A. Hargrove  
Notary Public

No. 40986

Action: Rejected

Name Murray Riddle and x children. Residence: Highway, Ky.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestor, ever enrolled.  
Does not establish fact of descent from a person  
who was a party to the treaty of 1838 or 1841.

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~~Field~~ ~~Long~~ ?  
No. 40986.

Name Murray Riddle

With No.

Remarks: Reject

Awaiting reply to letter

No. 40986

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

Murray Riddle

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*St. Shanton*  
*W. H. Ransom* } *att.*  
*W. H. Ransom*  
*Stanton,*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Murray Riddle

Indian name: Have none

2. Residence and post office: Clinton Co Ky. Highway Ky.

3. County: Clinton

4. State: Kentucky

5. How old are you? 75 Born Sept 21, 1831

6. Where were you born? in Kentucky

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Fannie Riddle

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.      | BORN.               |
|-----|----------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Robert Riddle</u> | <u>51</u> | <u>Aug 12, 1856</u> |
| (2) |                      |           |                     |
| (3) |                      |           |                     |
| (4) |                      |           |                     |
| (5) |                      |           |                     |
| (6) |                      |           |                     |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Lewis Riddle

Indian name: Had none

Mother—English name: Patsy Riddle

Indian name: had no Indian name

Maiden name: Adams

12. Where were they born?

Father: East Tennessee

Mother: East Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Kentucky.

Mother: In Kentucky.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died about 1879.

Mother: " " 1880

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                       | BORN.              | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------|--------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Billie Riddle</u>        | <u>Feb. 1830.</u>  |       |
|     | <u>Resides in Ky.</u>       |                    |       |
| (2) | <u>Joe Riddle</u>           | <u>Sept. 1840.</u> |       |
|     | <u>Resides in Ky.</u>       |                    |       |
| (3) | <u>Maria Riddle</u>         | <u>about 1845.</u> |       |
|     | <u>Resides in Kentucky.</u> |                    |       |
| (4) |                             |                    |       |
| (5) |                             |                    |       |
| (6) |                             |                    |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.       | MOTHER'S SIDE.      |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| <u>Mary Riddle</u>   | <u>Joe Addams</u>   |
| <u>Fannie Riddle</u> | <u>Sarah Addams</u> |
|                      |                     |
|                      |                     |

18. Where were they born? Grandfather Riddle in North Carolina  
Grandfather Addams in East Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Grandfather Riddle & Grandfather Addams Dec. 1851.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |  |
|-----|--|
| (1) | <u>Can't give names etc, as I was never acquainted</u> |
| (2) |  |
| (3) |  |
| (4) |  |
| (5) |  |
| (6) |  |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Na

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: The English name is Riddle and Adams - Never knew Indian names -

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim Indian descent through my father Davis Riddle who was one quarter Cherokee Indian. Father has told me that I was part-Cherokee Indian. And that his father Nathan Riddle stayed with the Cherokees up to about the date of 1835 or 1840. Father is now dead. I have always been recognized as part Indian by the people where I have lived and so claimed myself to be of such descent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*at test*  
R E Gibson  
Notary Public

(Signature)

Murray Riddle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

E. M. Cox Clerk  
by J. H. Gamblin, Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Harrison Cox

and J. H. Gamblin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Murray Riddle

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 50 years and

40 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Harrison Cox

J. H. Gamblin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

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E. M. Cox Clerk  
by J. H. Gamblin, Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

## POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Know all Men by these Presents, That

Murray Riddle

of the County of Chilton and State of Tennessee have this day made, constituted, and appointed W. J. Chilton and W. H. Reagan of Hydriestown, Tennessee, My true and lawful Attorneys for me and in my name to prosecute before any Department, or the Courts, of the United States, until final completion, My claim, for my ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ pro rata part of the fund to be distributed to the Eastern Cherokees in accordance with a Decree of May 28, 1906, as modified by an Order of April 20, 1907, made by the Court of Claims of the United States, as touching the rights of the Cherokee Indians, or their descendants living east of the Mississippi river, and I do hereby give to my said Attorneys or either of them full power and authority to do and perform all and every act whatsoever necessary to be done in connection with said claim, and my said Attorneys or either of them are given full power and authority to receive and receipt for any and all moneys due me out of said fund; and I do hereby agree to ratify and confirm all that my said Attorneys or either of them do in connection with said claim, as fully as if done by me or could be done by me if personally present at the doing thereof. This July 1907.

attest  
W. H. Cramer

Ergebnis:

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State of Kentucky  
County of Lincoln

\_\_\_\_\_ <sup>corroborating evidence</sup> is in the Court and State  
afforded, \_\_\_\_\_

whose names appear above, and ~~xxx~~ personally known to me to be the identical persons named above, and who acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Power of Attorney for the purposes therein contained, and I certify that I have no interest in said claim, either present or prospective. This ~~26~~ 26, 1907.

E. H. Cox, Clerk  
by J. H. [illegible]  
Attorney at Law

~~My Combustion Experiment~~

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Appln. No. 40986.

June 4, 1906.

Very respectfully,

Murray Riddle,

Highway, Kentucky.

Special Commissioner.

FST/MLO.  
Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FST/MLO.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 20 1908

No. 40986.



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Highway 124

June 17 - 1908.

Hon. Gideon Miller

Washington D. C.

Sir

In ans to your letter of June 4  
in relation to my Claim No. 40986  
for participation in the Eastern  
Cherokee fund. - will say that  
I claim Indian descent through  
my Grand father Nathan Riddle, who was  
42 Cherokee Indian. Don't know why  
he was not enrolled. Don't know where  
my Grand father lived in 1835 probably in  
East Tenn, as he came to Ky, from  
East Tenn about the date of 1840, and  
was dead at the date of 1857, none  
of my relatives were ever slaves.

I am recognized in the community  
where I reside as <sup>a</sup> white man  
mixed with Indian Blood. I  
have always understood that the Cherokees  
were much scattered at the date of  
1835. - Very Respectfully

attest. Mae Gamblin.

Eula Gamblin,

Murray <sup>his</sup> Riddle  
marc

Appl. 440986.

August 14, 1906.

Murray Riddle,  
Highway, Clinton Co.,  
Ky.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Sherokees, please state when your father, David Riddle, came from East Tennessee to Kentucky. Did your father or your grandfather through whom you claim ever live with the ~~Sherokee~~ Indians as a member of the tribe? If so, set forth in your answer the county and state in which they lived with the Sherokees and the year. Give the county and state in which your father and grandfather lived in 1871.

Please answer the above questions at the very earliest possible date. If you are unable to answer any of a question, so state, that we may know it has not come to your notice. In your reply refer to application No. 440986.

Very respectfully,

FAB/LIS.

Special Commissioner.

No. 40,986.

Murray Riddle

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| COMMITTEE OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |             |
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No. 40,986.

Highway Kentucky  
Aug 22 - 1909.

Sam Union Miller  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:-

In ans to yours within  
enclosed letter of 14. inst relative  
to my application No. 40986. for  
participation in the Eastern Cher-  
okee funds. - Will say that my  
Father David Riddle and my Grand  
Father Nathan Riddle came from  
East Tenn. to Kentucky about the  
year of 1840. And they lived  
with the Cherokee Indians as  
members of the tribe up to the date  
of 1840 when they came to Ky  
as above stated, I do not know  
the county in which they lived  
in East Tenn. but I have  
heard them say that it was  
near the North Carolina line.  
And they lived as members of the  
tribe up to 1840, as above stated

Respectfully,

Wm. J. Anderson  
M. J. Garner.

Murray <sup>his</sup> Riddle.  
mark



No. 40987

Action: Rejected.

Name Mary Mulina and 4 children. Residence: Rife, Ky.

Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 a & claims thro same source.

No. 40987.

Name Mary Mulen.

With No. 21063

Remarks:

No. 40987

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Malenax

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-674

Filed by

W. A. Taber  
Albany  
Ky

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Mulenax

Indian name: Wah-ah

2. Residence and post office: Rife

3. County: Cadez

4. State: Kentucky

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born Birth date unknown

6. Where were you born? Fentress County, Tenn.

7. Are you married? have been husband dead

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mathannal Mulenax

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.              | AGE.             | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------|------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Sarah E Lee</u> | <u>Summit Ky</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>John M</u>      | <u>Summit Ky</u> |       |
| (3) | <u>Lem</u>         | <u>Decatur</u>   |       |
| (4) | <u>Charles D.</u>  | <u>Rife Ky</u>   |       |
| (5) |                    |                  |       |
| (6) |                    |                  |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Jessie Webb

Indian name: Webb

Mother—English name: Leontine

Indian name: Wah-ah

Maiden name: Stephens

12. Where were they born?

Father: Washburne, Alabama

Mother: Fentress County, Tenn.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress County Tenn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died about the close of Civil war

Mother: died about 1854

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.               | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Sarah Cobb<br>Dec   | Dec   |       |
| (2) | Thomas "<br>Dec     | Dec   |       |
| (3) | John "<br>Dec       | Dec   |       |
| (4) | Jessie "<br>Dec     | Dec   |       |
| (5) | Harold Smith<br>Dec | Dec   |       |
| (6) | Sally Beatty<br>Dec | Dec   |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.        | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| Asa Cobb              |                |
| Asa's grand Pa's name |                |
| Jessie was grand      |                |
| Mother's name Maden   |                |
| name Kaker            |                |

18. Where were they born? grand father in Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Decatur

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |          |                  |
|-----|----------|------------------|
| (1) | Asa Cobb | in Alabama       |
| (2) | Riar "   | lived in Alabama |
| (3) |          |                  |
| (4) |          |                  |
| (5) |          |                  |
| (6) |          |                  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 220

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I see that grand father and mother lived in Alabama and  
swear

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I O'Leary - Not Tabor of Albany is my  
friend and lawful attorney to prosecute  
this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. B. Lee  
H. P. Combest -

(Signature)

Mary Mulanax  
her

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15<sup>th</sup>

day of

Aug

1907.

H. P. Combest -

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 16<sup>th</sup>

1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. Lee

and W. B. Lee

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mary Mulanax

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for        years and

       years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. Lee

W. B. Lee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of

Aug

1907.

My commission expires

Jan 16

1910.

H. P. Combest

Notary Public.

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*Address*

*3* SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
~~EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,~~

App. No. 40987.

*3* 801 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. ~~September~~ 18, 1907.

F. A. Tabor,  
Albany, Kentucky.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of the Eastern Cherokee Application  
of Mary Mullenax, of Rife, Kentucky.

Please inform this Office at once as to the dates of the  
births of your client's children, also the date of the death of the  
deceased child.

If the date of the birth of your client is unknown, about  
how old is she?

Please give this matter prompt attention.

Very respectfully,

*Quinn Miller,*

Special Commissioner.

WEA



No 40987

Eastern Chronicle

Mary Mullinix

Reply to Call

1843

Filed by

James J. Talbot

Attorney

Christiana County

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P.O. Box

1 State of Kentucky } 388  
2 County of Casey }

3 In the Matter of Eastern Cherokee  
4 arising from the decrees of the  
5 United States Court of Claims of  
6 May 18<sup>th</sup> 1905 and May 28<sup>th</sup> 1906 of  
7 Mary Mulenix no 40987 personally  
8 came before me the undersigned  
9 authority within and for said County  
10 and State the Applicant - Mary  
11 Mulenix resident of Ripley Ky and  
12 being by me duly sworn on  
13 oath states that she is about 70  
14 years of age and that her Childrens  
15 ages is as follows

| Names             | Ages | Born                       |
|-------------------|------|----------------------------|
| Sarah E Lee       | 45   | Jan 30 <sup>th</sup> 1862  |
| John M Mulenix    | 47   | Oct 11 <sup>th</sup> 1860  |
| Charles D Mulenix | 37   | May 26 <sup>th</sup> 1870  |
| L. L. Mulenix     | 49   | Sept 29 <sup>th</sup> 1858 |

16 That her son L. L. Mulenix  
17 died on the 1 day of April  
18 A D 1900.

19 atty 1 Lucien William Hays <sup>husb</sup> + Mulenix  
20 2 Roscoe Smith <sup>mark</sup>

21 Sworn to before me on this 2 day  
22 of ~~Sept~~ 1907

23 J. M. Corcoran Notary Public  
24 Casey Co.

No. 40988

Name *Caldona Hinds* and 11 children.

Action: *Reject*

Reasons:

Residence: *Little Crab, Tenn.*

*Cousin of #38843, and claims through the same ancestors.*

No. 40988-90

Name

With No. ~~4094~~

Remarks: 38843

Caldwell Hunt

Bates Constable

J. H. "



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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Caldena Hinds.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*W. J. Selmon*  
*Attorney*

*W. J. Selmon*  
*Attorney*  
*12/17*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Waldrona Hinds

Indian name: Windy

2. Residence and post office: Little Creek Tenn.

3. County: Fentress

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 42 Born July 10, 1866.

6. Where were you born? Fentress County Tenn.

7. Are you married? yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jim Hinds, 47.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| NAME.                      | AGE.       | BORN.                |
|----------------------------|------------|----------------------|
| (1) <u>Mary A. Bueh</u>    | <u>23.</u> | <u>Dec.</u>          |
| (2) <u>John A. Hinds</u>   | <u>20.</u> | <u>Dec 30, 1886</u>  |
| (3) <u>George A. Hinds</u> | <u>18.</u> | <u>Jan 16, 1889.</u> |
| (4) <u>Martha V. Hinds</u> | <u>16</u>  | <u>May 26, 1891.</u> |
| (5) <u>Mandy J. Hinds</u>  | <u>14</u>  | <u>Sept 9, 1893.</u> |
| (6) <u>Lester D. Hinds</u> | <u>11</u>  | <u>Jan 18, 1896.</u> |
| (7) <u>Carlin Hinds</u>    | <u>8</u>   | <u>Oct 18, 1898.</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Bonatsen.

Indian name: None.

Mother—English name: Elisabeth Bonatsen.

Indian name: Windy.

Maiden name: Elisabeth Reagan.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Fentress county Tenn.

Mother: " " " "

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 8. Evelyn A. Hinds. 8 Oct. 18. 1898  
 9. William L. Hinds. 10 Sept. 24 1901  
 10. Christopher Hinds. 4 May 25 1903.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Quintess County Ga  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of death of name first \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of death of your father: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: deceased

Mother: Dec. 20, 1907.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|   | NAME | AGE | RESIDENCE |
|---|------|-----|-----------|
| - |      |     |           |

| NAME. |  | BORN. | DIED.   |
|-------|--|-------|---------|
| (1)   | Jay Leonard<br>Little creek, Tenn.       | 44    | 26 yrs. |
| (2)   | Bates Leonard<br>Little creek, Tenn.     | 40    |         |
| (3)   | Phillip A Leonard<br>Little creek, Tenn. | 37    |         |
| (4)   | Mary E. King<br>Olympos, Tenn.           | 35    |         |
| (5)   | Nancy J. Beatty<br>Little creek, Tenn.   | 32    |         |
| (6)   | James Leonard<br>Little creek, Tenn.     | 30    |         |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

### FATHER'S SIDE.

## MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Shagan  
Nancy  
Simon - name  
James Shirley.

Where were they born? Germany, Prussia

18. Where were they born? Lima, Peru

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Peru

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? St. Louis, Mo.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Thomas J. Reagan, ..... He.  
 (2) Elisabeth Coriatu ..... He.  
 (3) Susanah Bates ..... Wilder, Gen.  
 (4) Rebecca Spencer ..... He.  
 (5) John L. Reagan ..... Littlecreek, Tenn.  
 (6) Andrew Reagan .....  
 7 Martha Bates .....  
 8 Margaret J. Wood ..... Wilder, Gen.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parent: John Leonard &

Elisha Leonard, grand Parent John Reagan & Nancy Reagan,  
Great grand Parent James Finley & Betsey Finley.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint F. A. Taber, of Albany N.Y., my  
True and Lawfull atty to prosecute  
this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Baldana Hind

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

M. F. Buick.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910., 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Sarah E. Sewel.  
and Solomon Reagan., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Baldana Hind  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Sarah E. Sewel.  
Solomon Reagan.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910., 190 . M. F. Buick.  
Notary Public.

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Aug. 22 - 1907

Mr J. H. Fisher Smith & Jose  
The name of my Grand Son  
who is Loryle V. Buck.

Signed Eldreda Buck  
his age 19 months

In New Bern. June 13<sup>th</sup> 1900.

1112 Labor day

1113 Labor day

1114 Labor day

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Little Crab Tree, June 20-08  
Commissioner Court of Claims.  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

I write you in regard to  
the claim of Longy Buck's claim  
filed by Baldona Hinde I want  
to know if his claim will  
be considered or was it got in  
proper shape I would like  
to know when the claims will  
be paid off. And if you want  
any more proof in the claim  
of Longy Buck I ready to make it

yours  
Baldona Hinde



No. 40989

Name *Bates Conatser* and

Action: *Reject*

Reasons:

children.

Residence:

*Little Crab, Penn.*

*Cousin of #38843, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

40989

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Bates Comstock*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Witness by*  
*F. A. Lator*  
*at*

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*

*1897*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Bates Conatser.

Indian name: Hirley.

2. Residence and post office: Little Crab.

3. County: Fentress

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 40. Born

6. Where were you born? Fentress county, Tenn.

7. Are you married? No.

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) |       |      |       |
| (2) |       |      |       |
| (3) |       |      |       |
| (4) |       |      |       |
| (5) |       |      |       |
| (6) |       |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Conatser.

Indian name: Hirley.

Mother—English name: Elisabeth Conatser.

Indian name: Hirley.

Maiden name: Elisabeth Reagan.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Tennesse county, Tenn.

Mother: do

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Dec. Aug 20, 1907

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not to my knowledge.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                    | BORN.  | DIED. |
|-----|--|--------|-------|
| (1) | Jay Lemaster<br>Little crab Tenn.        | 44 yr. |       |
| (2) | Caldona Hinds<br>Little crab Tenn.       | 112    |       |
| (3) | Phillip A. Lemaster<br>Little crab Tenn. | 37.    |       |
| (4) | Mary C. King<br>Olympus Tenn.            | 35.    |       |
| (5) | Nancy J. Beatz<br>Little crab Tenn.      | 32.    |       |
| (6) | James Lemaster<br>Little crab Tenn.      | 30.    |       |

*Beatz  
Little crab Tenn.  
Born: 26 yr.*

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Reagan  
Nancy  
Indian - name  
Nancy Finley

18. Where were they born? in Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Thomas J. Reagan dec.  
(2) Elizabeth Lemaster do  
(3) Andrew Bates Wilder Tenn.  
(4) Rebecca Spencer dec.  
(5) Jail L Reagan Little crab Tenn.  
(6) Andrew J. Reagan do  
(7) Martha Bates dec.  
(8) Margaret Wood Wilder Tenn.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents: John Conatser. & Elisabeth Conatser, grand parents: John Reagan. & Nancy Reagan, great grand parents: James Finley & Betsey Finley

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint H. H. Tabor, Albany Ky. my true and lawful atty. to prosecute this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Bates Conatser.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

M. F. Buck.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1910., 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James B. Reagan  
and Jacob G. Reagan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Bates Conatser  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

James B. Reagan  
Jacob G. Reagan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1910., 190

M. F. Buck.  
Notary Public.

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No. 40990 Action: Reject  
Name James Canateci and 3 children. Residence: Little Crab, Penn.  
Reasons: Cousin of #38843, and claims through  
the same ancestors.

40960

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James Leonard:*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Filed By*

*F. A. Talbot*

*Albany*

*OK*

*5/27/07*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James Leonard

Indian name: Timber

2. Residence and post office: Little crab

3. County: Fentress

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 30 Born

6. Where were you born? Fentress county Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Leannia Leonard

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.     | BORN.                  |
|-----|----------------------|----------|------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Pearl Leonard</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>April 11. 1901.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Ida</u>           | <u>5</u> | <u>May 13. 1902.</u>   |
| (3) | <u>Washington</u>    | <u>2</u> | <u>Feb 15. 1904</u>    |
| (4) |                      |          |                        |
| (5) |                      |          |                        |
| (6) |                      |          |                        |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Leonard

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Leonard

Indian name: Timber

Maiden name: Heagan

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Tennessee

Mother: in Tennessee



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Funston county, Tenn.

Mother: " " " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Dec. aug. 20th 1907.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.   | BORN.          | DIED. |
|-----|---|----------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Jerry Konaters</u><br><u>Little crab, Tenn.</u>      | <u>44, yr.</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Baldona Kinds</u><br><u>Little crab, Tenn.</u>       | <u>42</u>      |       |
| (3) | <u>Bates Konaters</u><br><u>Little crab, Tenn.</u>      | <u>40</u>      |       |
| (4) | <u>Phillip A. Konaters</u><br><u>Little crab, Tenn.</u> | <u>37.</u>     |       |
| (5) | <u>Mary E. King</u><br><u>Olympus, Tenn.</u>            | <u>36</u>      |       |
| (6) | <u>Nancy J. Beatty</u><br><u>Little crab, Tenn.</u>     | <u>32.</u>     |       |

*(Vertical note in margin: Jerry & Beatty 26. Little crab, Tenn.)*

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

|                      |                      |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| <u>John Reagan</u>   | <u>John Reagan</u>   |
| <u>Nancy</u>         | <u>Nancy</u>         |
| <u>Indian name</u>   | <u>Indian name</u>   |
| <u>Nancy Girdley</u> | <u>Nancy Girdley</u> |

18. Where were they born? in Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Tennessee.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                           |                           |
|-----|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Thomas J. Reagan</u>   | <u>Dec.</u>               |
| (2) | <u>Elisabeth Konaters</u> | <u>"</u>                  |
| (3) | <u>Susannah Bates</u>     | <u>Hilder, Tenn.</u>      |
| (4) | <u>Rebecca Spencer</u>    | <u>Dec.</u>               |
| (5) | <u>John L. Reagan</u>     | <u>Little crab, Tenn.</u> |
| (6) | <u>Andrew Reagan</u>      | <u>" " " "</u>            |
| 7   | <u>Martha Bates</u>       | <u>Dec.</u>               |
| 8   | <u>Margaret J. Wood</u>   | <u>Hilder, Tenn.</u>      |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents: John Conatus & Elisabeth Conatus

Grandparents: John Reagan & Nancy Reagan  
Great grand parents: James Finley & Betsey

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I appoint F. A. Labor, of Albany N.Y. my true and lawfull atty to prosecute this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James Conatus

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Aug. 1907.

M. F. Bucke  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910., 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me N. J. Lowery

and Joel G. Reagan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James Conatus

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 16 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

N. J. Lowery  
Joel G. Reagan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910., 190

M. F. Bucke  
Notary Public.

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No. 40991

Action:

Reject

Name

Oscar H. Morgan and

1 children.

Residence:

St. Frankfort, Ill.

Reasons:

Claiming thru David Weaver. See #45.

No.

40991

Name

Docar H. Meyer

With No.

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Remarks:



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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Oscar W. Morgan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Oscar H Morgan

Indian name: Weaver

2. Residence and post office: West Frankfort

3. County: Franklin

4. State: Illinois

5. How old are you? 27 Born April 27 1880

6. Where were you born? Marion County Ill.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lillie V Morgan, aged 21 year

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                   | AGE.           | BORN.               |
|-----|-------------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Pessie M. Morgan</u> | <u>3 years</u> | <u>July 27 1904</u> |
| (2) | <u></u>                 | <u></u>        | <u></u>             |
| (3) | <u></u>                 | <u></u>        | <u></u>             |
| (4) | <u></u>                 | <u></u>        | <u></u>             |
| (5) | <u></u>                 | <u></u>        | <u></u>             |
| (6) | <u></u>                 | <u></u>        | <u></u>             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William L. Morgan

Indian name: no

Mother—English name: Martha A. Morgan

Indian name: Weaver

Maiden name: Eddings

12. Where were they born?

Father: Marion Co Ills.

Mother: Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Marion Co Ills

Mother: in Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No. application filed

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                           | BORN.        | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------------|--------------|-------|
| (1) | Grace M Sullens<br>Alma Ills    | Sept 22 1882 |       |
| (2) | Lottus Irma Morgan<br>Alma Ills | Sept 19 1893 |       |
| (3) |                                 |              |       |
| (4) |                                 |              |       |
| (5) |                                 |              |       |
| (6) |                                 |              |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.     |
|----------------|--------------------|
| Abner G Morgan | James B Eddings    |
| Nancy A Morgan | Indian name Weaver |
| No Indian name | Roda A Eddings     |
|                | No Indian name     |

18. Where were they born? all in Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? On Father's side in Marion County Ills. Mother's side Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|                       |                     |
|-----------------------|---------------------|
| (1) Nancy J. Nix      | Inka Marion Co Ills |
| (2) John H Eddings    | Inka " " "          |
| (3) Mary E Jones      | Dead                |
| (4) James P Eddings   | Inka Marion Co Ills |
| (5) Minerva H Wilburn | " " "               |
| (6) Jesse J Eddings   | East St Louis Ills  |
| 7 Martha H Morgan     | Alma Marion Co Ills |
| 8 William L Eddings   | Dead.               |

one dead on side



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No. Mother's Application

on file Lockwood attorney

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grand Father James B. Eddings

Was the son of John & Elisabeth Eddings. The said Elisabeth Eddings was the daughter of Dame Weaver a Cherokee of North Carolina

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA. A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and law  
ful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

O. H. Morgan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

John C. Smith

and

Jesse J. Mulhany

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Oscar H. Morgan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 27 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John C. Smith

Jesse J. Mulhany

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

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J. R. Layle  
Notary Public, Clerk

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 40992.

Action: Reject.

Name: Susan A. Lake

and - children.

Residence: 909 North St.,

Webb City, Mo.

Reasons:

Niece of 2332. Claims through the same source.

No. 40992.

Name Susan A. Lake.

With No. 2332.

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

OF

*Susan A. Locke*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905 and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD.

Attorney and Solicitor,

*2650* 619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mrs Susan A. Lake

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Webb City (909 North Webb street)

3. County: Jasper

4. State: Mo

5. How old are you? 73 Born April 22nd 1834

6. Where were you born? Morgan Co Illinois

7. Are you married? Widow now

8. Name and age of wife or husband: one was Bonds, & Lake.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? now

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME                   | AGE. | BORN.         |
|-----|------------------------|------|---------------|
| (1) | Charles William Bonds. | 55   | Jan. 23, 1852 |
| (2) | Mary Virginia Bond.    | 53   | Oct 17, 1856  |
| (3) | Martha Elizabeth Bond  | 50   | March 9, 1857 |
| (4) | Eliza Elley Bond.      | 50,  | May 9 1858    |
| (5) | Thomas G. Bond         | 46   | Feb 17, 1862  |
| (6) | James J Bond.          | 44   | June 10, 1864 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: William York

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Elisabeth York

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Elisabeth Kitchens

12. Where were they born?

Father: William York in Indiana

Mother: Elisabeth Kitchens York South Carolina



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: dead in 1845

Mother: Cass County Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1845

Mother: 1867

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: they were not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                  | BORN.                  | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------|------------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>John York</u>       | <u>Beth Reed</u>       |       |
| (2) | <u>Elisabeth York</u>  | <u>is buried w. in</u> |       |
| (3) | <u>William H York</u>  | <u>my house</u>        |       |
| (4) | <u>Mary Ann York</u>   | <u>about 1830</u>      |       |
|     | <u>Verona Illinois</u> |                        |       |
| (5) |                        |                        |       |
| (6) |                        |                        |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.   | MOTHER'S SIDE.      |
|------------------|---------------------|
| <u>J. Father</u> | <u>Kitchens his</u> |
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|                  |                     |
|                  |                     |

18. Where were they born? he was born where with the tribe

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Elisabeth Kitchens who married William York

(2) the rest is dead

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

of his father was a full blood,

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parent: Will am York Elisabete Jones  
Grand Parents Kitchens I cannot tell their given  
Names as my Record got burnt up

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I hereby appoint BELV A A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Susan A. Lake

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August 1907.

J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept. 27, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. C. Chenoweth Jr

and J. E. Bear Jr, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Susan A. Lake

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. C. Chenoweth  
J. E. Bear

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept. 27, 1907 J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

7.5.7.

Appln. No. 40992.

June 4, 1908.

Susan A. Lake,  
Webb City, Mo.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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My dear Mr. Garrison  
I have just received your letter  
of the 14th inst.

and am very glad to hear  
of your success in the  
cause of the colored people.

I am sure that your  
efforts will be successful  
and that the cause  
will be greatly advanced  
by your labors.

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Dear Mother is Mary Ann  
at home today

and will be home with  
her mother

Thurs. 11th Nov. 1870  
Friday 12th Nov. 1870

and the children

Geo. Wash. St.

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Kentworth Mo Oct 15-1908  
Hon Quion Miller  
Special Com  
Washington D C

Dear sir Can you please give me  
any information about when the Eastern  
Cherokee Claims will be settled + do

you think my claim is O.K. My No is  
40992

Yours very truly  
Mrs Susan A. Lake

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 4099-2

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2332

Wentworth Mo - 3-27-07

Mr Gideon Miller  
Washington

Dear Sir  
I thought I would write  
you & ask you  
about Eastern Cherokee  
claim there has been 2 or 3  
parties told me at Webb  
City which is my home  
that the claims would be  
settled in May next - and  
I thought I would like to ask  
you will my claim be  
valued my application no is  
40992 - Thanking you in  
advance I beg to remain

Susan A Lake  
address Wentworth Mo



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App. #40992.

January 7, 1910.

Susan A. Lake,  
909 North Webb Street,  
Webb City, Missouri.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of January 3, 1910, you are advised that the exceptions filed to my report will be taken up by the Court for final disposition on January 10, 1910, and until after that date I will be unable to announce the decision in any particular case, in which an exception has been filed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:

Replying to your request for a blank application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, you are advised that under the order of the Court of April 29, 1907, all applications were required to be filed on or before August 31, 1907.

It is therefore now too late to file applications except on behalf of minor children, persons of unsound mind, or persons under some other legal disability.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 40993

Action: Rejected

Name: Annie Laughman McDonald

and 2

children.

Residence:

Mustang, Okla.

Reasons:

The ancestors of applicant & those  
whom she claims are Chesapeake  
Island are not enrolled on the  
Eastern Cherokee rolls. Ancestors  
lived in South Carolina in 1835.  
Therefore they were not parties to  
treaties of 1835-6 - 1846.

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No. 40993.

Name Annie B. McDonald.

With No. 7100614.

Remarks:

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 40903

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Amie Buchanan Jones*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD.

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, N. W.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Amie Bloughman McDonald  
English name: Same  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Mustang Okla  
3. County: Canadian  
4. State: Oklahoma  
5. How old are you? 20 Born \_\_\_\_\_  
6. Where were you born? 1887  
7. Are you married? yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: E. T. McDonald  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME                  | AGE      | BORN.       |
|-----|-----------------------|----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Mary Cornelia</u>  | <u>3</u> | <u>1903</u> |
| (2) | <u>Clifford Meloy</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>1905</u> |
| (3) | _____                 | _____    | _____       |
| (4) | _____                 | _____    | _____       |
| (5) | _____                 | _____    | _____       |
| (6) | _____                 | _____    | _____       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

H. R. Baughman. Cornelia Rebecca Baughman = Cornelia Hughes  
Father—English name: H. R. Baughman  
Indian name: Cornelia Hughes  
Mother—English name: Cornelia Hughes Baughman  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Cornelia Hughes

12. Where were they born?

Father: Burnard Co. Tex.  
Mother: Hill Country Co. Tex.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born

Mother: Not Born.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? Yes, so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cho.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Luther Bee Baughman, | 1885  |       |

|     |                   |      |  |
|-----|-------------------|------|--|
| (2) | Mrs Robt Baughman | 1889 |  |
|-----|-------------------|------|--|

|     |                       |       |  |
|-----|-----------------------|-------|--|
| (3) | Jas M Daniel Baughman | 1893. |  |
|-----|-----------------------|-------|--|

(4)

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(6)

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Elizabeth Baughman.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

J. P. Hughes.  
Katherine Hughes.

18. Where were they born? Do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Williamson Co Tex

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) B. J. Hughes

Saint Rock Tex

(2) M. Odaline Foxhand

Bluffton Tex

(3) J. P. Hughes.

Deceased

(4) Lizzie Dean

Do

(5) Lilly E. Templeton

Lone Grove Tex

(6) J. H. Hughes

Pera Tex



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, and or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835 Baughman, Hughes  
Baughman, Hammond

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood  
my lawful attorney and allow her a  
Commission of 10%.  
I & her wife were married March 23-1845 - located at St. Louis to Hudson Co  
Ind. 1848 to Wabash Co Ind 1851.  
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Archie Baughman McDonald

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug 1907.

G. J. Dennis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 25, 1910

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. R. Eskridge  
and Earl Jarvis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Archie Baughman McDonald  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 years and  
3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

J. R. Eskridge  
Earl Jarvis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 27, 1910

G. J. Dennis  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

7.3.9.  
Appln. No. 40993.

June 4, 1908.

Annie B. McDonald,

Mustang, Oklahoma.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. H. H.

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have not received  
a reply from the  
father  
Information will  
inform you.

Respect  
(Miss.) Annie B. Wilson

Wm. Lang  
Wm. Lang



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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 40993

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FEB 29 1908

Mustang OK.

Feb. 25, 1908

Enion Miller

Dear sir:

We will write you a  
few lines concerning  
application No. 40993.

Have you investigat-  
ed sufficient to know  
how my claim stands

Please advise & tell me  
what you know be it  
for the better or

worse as you may know  
we are anxious to  
know how it will  
terminate. Find

enclosed a self address  
envelope Please ans  
soon Respect

Amir H. Mc Donald  
Mustang OK

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B. McDonald.  
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 40993

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notice

Edwards  
May 20/907

Union Mills  
Sir, will

write you in regard  
to my address which  
was Mustang Dr -  
my present address  
is 6000 1/2 St. N.  
in care of R. G. Williams  
Respect,

Annie B. McDonald  
Edwards  
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Acme, Tex.

July 7. 1904

Guion Miller.

will have to tell  
of my change in  
address again  
which refers to  
his - as Eldorado  
Co. Cal. & prior to that.  
Mountain View, Cal.  
with reference to  
mail No. 40973.  
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passed on and  
or you to give  
my different ans.

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I patiently await  
an answer.  
Respect.

Wm. B. McDonald.

Acme.  
Texas.

No. 40 994

Action: *Reject*

Name *Sam Adams* and *X* children. Residence: *Wt.bury, U.C.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 3/633.*



No. 40994.

Name Sam Adams

With No. 31632.

Remarks:

No. 40994

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sam Adams*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BETTY A. LOCKWOOD

Attorney and Solicitor.

NORTHWEST

D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sam Adams

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Mt Airy N.C.

3. County: Surry

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 30 years

Born 1877

6. Where were you born? Myth county N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Stora Adams. age 22

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) 2

(2) 2

(3) children

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Mose Adams

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Susan Ann Adams

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Susan Ann Adams

12. Where were they born?

Father: Myth county N.C.

Mother: Myth county N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Swain County N.C.

Mother: Myth County N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died about 11 years was buried at Little

Mother: Living name at Mt Airy N.C.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: do not know.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                             | BORN. | DIED.             |
|-----|-----------------------------------|-------|-------------------|
| (1) | Rachel Snow                       | 1867  | <del>Living</del> |
| (2) | James H. Adams                    | 1871  | dead              |
| (3) | Carroll Adams                     | 1873  | dead              |
| (4) | Dessie Flanders<br>Roanoke Va.    | 1875  | Living            |
| (5) | Masora Bryant<br>East Roanoke Va. | 1879  | Living            |
| (6) | <del>Missie Flanders</del>        |       | <del>Living</del> |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| Esq. Adams     | Kenna H. Hale  |
| Harold Adams   | Cela Hale      |

18. Where were they born? Esq. and Harold Adams was in Roanoke Va. and the Hales in Myth County Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

unknown

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Sally Phelps died about 2 years ago

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*I claim through my mother  
Susanne Brunke. who was Susanne Adams.  
during her first husband's life time. and her father  
John Adams. who was a full blood Cherokee Indian*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Sam Adams*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug 1907.

My Commission Expires Dec. 10, 1908

My commission expires

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Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*Susanne Brunke*

and

*Sus Brunke*

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

*Sam Adams.*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 20 years and 22 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses:

*Susanne + Brunke*  
*Sus Brunke*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

My Commission Expires Dec. 10, 1908

Notary Public.

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No. *40995*

Name: *Estella Mice* and *2* children. Residence: *Davis, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Duplicate of # 33197*

No. 40995-  
Name Satula Mills  
With No. 33190  
Remarks:

~~Receipt of 33190~~  
~~Duplicate of 33197~~  
10905

No. See #33197

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Estella Mills

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD

Attorney and Solicitor.

WASHINGTON, D. C.



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:-

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME           | AGE        | BORN         |
|-----|----------------|------------|--------------|
| (1) | Maryland Mills | 4 yrs 6 mo | Feb. 20-1902 |
| (2) | Imon           | 3 "        | Sept. 6-1904 |
| (3) |                |            |              |
| (4) |                |            |              |
| (5) |                |            |              |
| (6) |                |            |              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Brunswick Co Georgia

Mother:

she was not born at that date

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

living at Davis I.T.

Mother:

" " " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence, if possible:

|     | NAME.                    | BORN.           | DIED.                      |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|
| (1) | Eugene Couch             |                 | July 1498.                 |
| (2) | Avilla Couch             |                 | Oct 1894                   |
| (3) | Beatrice Davis I.T.      | April 29, -1886 |                            |
| (4) | Vernon Couch             | Dec 14 - 1880   |                            |
| (5) | Jessie Couch             | Jan 30. -1890   | April 3 <sup>rd</sup> 1906 |
| (6) | Jennie Couch Davis, I.T. | Aug 18 - 1894.  |                            |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
A couch.  
Matilda "

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
William Pitts. } grand +  
Matilda Pitts. } parents

18. Where were they born?

do not remember.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

do not remember.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |              |                  |
|-----|--------------|------------------|
| (1) | John Pitts   | Davis I.T.       |
| (2) | Julian Pitts | dead.            |
| (3) | Lafayette "  | "                |
| (4) | Julia "      | "                |
| (5) | Laurie Davis | Centerville I.T. |
| (6) | Judge Pitts  | do not know      |
|     | James "      | Davis, I.T.      |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Henry B. Couch, Mary C. Couch (father and mother), Matilda Pitts, William Pitts, grandparents.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.~~

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Estella Mills

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

May 24 - 1910

J. D. Adams  
Notary Public.  
So Dist. Ind Ter.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Rostan M. Donald  
and J. R. Satterfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Estella Mills.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 years and 2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Rostan M. Donald.  
J. R. Satterfield.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 24 - 1910

J. D. Adams  
Notary Public.

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No. 40996  
Name Mattie Fulton and 0 children. Action: Refect  
Residence: Lyndburg, Va.  
Reasons:

Sister to Emma Rogers (30486) and claims  
through same line.



No. 40996-

Name Mattie F. J. T. H.

With No. 30486

Remarks:

No. 40996

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Mattie Fulton.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD.

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Mattie Fulton*

Indian name:

*none*

2. Residence and post office:

*Lynchburg*

3. County:

*Virginia*

4. State:

5. How old are you?

*22*

Born

*June 7, 1885*

6. Where were you born?

*Surry Co NC*

7. Are you married?

*no*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*none*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Descendant of Cherokee Indian*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.       | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <i>none</i> |      |       |
| (2) |             |      |       |
| (3) |             |      |       |
| (4) |             |      |       |
| (5) |             |      |       |
| (6) |             |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Geo. Fulton*

Indian name:

*none*

Mother—English name:

*Mary Ann Fulton*

Indian name:

*none*

Maiden name:

*Mary Ann Allbright*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Surry Co NC*

Mother:

*" " "*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Surry Co NC

Mother: 11 " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|                                  | NAME.  | BORN.         | DIED. |
|----------------------------------|--|---------------|-------|
| Millie<br>Fulton<br>born<br>1891 | (1) Cora Fulton<br>mt airy nc                                      | Oct 20 1882   |       |
|                                  | (2) Emma (Fulton) <del>104 years</del> Dec. 18. 1887<br>mt airy nc |               |       |
|                                  | (3) Alice Fulton<br>mt airy nc                                     | Sept 4 - 1889 |       |
|                                  | (4) Carrie Fulton<br>mt airy nc                                    | 1891          |       |
|                                  | (5) Minnie Fulton<br>mt airy nc                                    | 1893          |       |
|                                  | (6) Maggie Fulton<br>mt airy nc                                    | 11/1895       |       |
|                                  | Julia Fulton<br>1897   |               |       |
|                                  | Curly Fulton<br>1899   |               |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Jerry Fulton  
Malinda Fulton

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Unknown  
Mortha Allbright.

(Born Stokes Co. NC)

18. Where were they born?

(Surry Co NC)

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Surry County NC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Jerry  
Fulton's  
Children

(1) Margaret Hill

Dead

(2) Jordan Fulton

Dead

(3) Geo Fulton

mt airy nc

(4) Ronce Fulton

Dead

(5) Francis Fulton

(6) Jerry Fulton jr

7 Jim Fulton



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Claim Jerry Fulton my Grand  
Father & Aunt his Mother Easter Fulton 1/4 Cherokee Indian  
and Jerry Fultons Father, Mose Hoover - who was a full  
blood Cherokee Indian.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mattie Fulton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

L. M. Perry  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 8<sup>th</sup>, 1911.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me, Ella P. Valentine

and Catherine K. Hunt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mattie Fulton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for one years and two years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ella P. Valentine  
Catherine K. Hunt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March 8<sup>th</sup>, 1911.

L. M. Perry  
Notary Public.

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No. 40997.

Action: Reject.

Name: Beatrice Couch and 1 children. Residence: Murray, Okla.

Reasons: Duplicate of #33201. Claims thru same source.

No. 40997.  
Name Seaside Coach  
With No. 33190

Remarks:

*Filed 17 33190.  
Sup. of 33201*

No. 10987  
Sub # 33201

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Beatrice Couch*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BELVA W. C. CROWD

Attorney and Solicitor.

1117 P STREET NORTHWEST

WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Beatrice Couch  
Indian name: Douglass, Boyce and Harris
2. Residence and post office: Davis I. T.
3. County: Murray
4. State: Indian Territory, or Oklahoma
5. How old are you? 2 yrs. 4 mo. Born April 29-1886
6. Where were you born? Westville, Mo.
7. Are you married? No
8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Henry B. Couch  
Indian name: none  
Mother—English name: Mary C. Couch  
Indian name: Douglass, Harris and Boyce  
Maiden name: Mary C. Couch

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother: Walker Co. Georgia



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Burns Co Georgia

Mother: she was not born at that time.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living at Davis I.T.

Mother: " " " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                      | BORN.                 | DIED.                |
|-----|--|-----------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Eugene Couch.</u>                       |                       | <u>July 1898.</u>    |
| (2) | <u>Arilla Couch.</u>                       |                       | <u>Oct. 1894.</u>    |
| (3) | <u>Estella Mills</u><br><u>Davis, I.T.</u> | <u>April 5-1883</u>   | <u>April 5-1893.</u> |
| (4) | <u>Person Couch</u>                        | <u>Dec. 18-1880.</u>  |                      |
| (5) | <u>Jesse Couch</u>                         | <u>Jan. 30-1890</u>   | <u>April 3-1906.</u> |
| (6) | <u>Tennie Couch</u><br><u>Davis, I.T.</u>  | <u>Aug. 18, 1894.</u> |                      |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.        | MOTHER'S SIDE.                  |                 |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| <u>A Couch.</u>       | <u>William Pitts</u>            |                 |
| <u>Matilda Couch.</u> | <u>Matilda " }</u> <u>Grand</u> |                 |
|                       |                                 | <u>parents.</u> |

18. Where were they born? do not remember.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? do not remember.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                     |                         |
|-----|---------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>John Pitts</u>   | <u>Davis, I.T.</u>      |
| (2) | <u>Julian "</u>     | <u>dead</u>             |
| (3) | <u>Deputyt. "</u>   | <u>"</u>                |
| (4) | <u>Julia "</u>      | <u>"</u>                |
| (5) | <u>Laurie Davis</u> | <u>Centrahq, I.T.</u>   |
| (6) | <u>Judge Pitts</u>  | <u>do not know.</u>     |
| (7) | <u>James Pitts</u>  | <u>Davis, Ind. Ter.</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Henry B. Couch, father  
Mary C. Couch, mother, William Pitts and Matilda  
Pitts, grandparents.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Melva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true  
and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Beatrice Couch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

May 24<sup>th</sup> 1910

J. D. Adams  
So. Dist. Ind. Ter.  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Roston McDonald

and

J. R. Satterfield

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Beatrice Couch.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 years and 3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Roston McDonald  
J. R. Satterfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 24<sup>th</sup> 1910

J. D. Adams  
So. Dist. Ind. Ter.  
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No. 40998

Action: *Reject*

Name: *James C. Williams* and *1* children. Residence: *Warrior Okla*

Reasons: *Ancestors not on rolls. Has not estab-*  
*lished genuine connection with Cherokee*  
*tribe.*

*Misc. text p. 2314.*

Field H. Pa. ?

No. 40998.

Name James E. Williams

With No.

Remarks:

Ref. ?

Ancestors lived in S.C. in  
1835 & 1851.

Awaiting reply to letter.



10998

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James C. Williams*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**BELVA A. LOCKWOOD**

Attorney and Solicitor.

26,604 910 F STREET, NORTHWEST

WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.         | AGE.           | BORN.             |
|-----|---------------|----------------|-------------------|
| (1) | Cora Williams | 19 yrs. 5 mos. | August 14 - 1887. |
| (2) | Mollie ..     | 17 ..          | Aug. 24 - 1890.   |
| (3) | Elmer ..      | 14 " 6 mos.    | Feb. 14 - 1893    |
| (4) | Harley ..     | 11 "           | Aug. 14 - 1896    |
| (5) | Maud ..       | 7 "            | Dec. 5 - 1900     |
| (6) | Ray ..        | 4 " 8 mos.     | Nov. 16 - 1903    |
| (7) | Julia ..      | "              | Nov. 14 - 1905.   |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Murray co. Georgia, Spring place P.O.  
Mother: " " " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April 10. - 1905  
Mother: Jan. 1899.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                          | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Walter Williams               | 1860. | 1898. |
| (8) | Corneelia " Russell, D.D.     | 1891. |       |
| (2) | Maggie Williams               | 1864  | 1898  |
| (3) | Cal. Williams<br>Lender, Ark. | 1877  |       |
| (4) | John. Williams<br>Moore, Ark. | 1879. |       |
| (5) | Jerome Williams<br>Moore Ark  | 1881. |       |
| (6) | Loetta Williams               | 1885. | 1902. |
| (7) | Jane " Russell, D.D.          | 1887  |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.       | MOTHER'S SIDE.          |
|----------------------|-------------------------|
| <u>John Williams</u> | <u>James Mansfield.</u> |
| <u>"</u>             | <u>"</u>                |

18. Where were they born? Raised in South Carolina, on my mother's side

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? South Carolina.  
(Mother's father and mother)

20. Give names of all their children, and residence if possible:

|     |                                  |                    |
|-----|----------------------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Geans Mansfield.</u>          |                    |
| (2) | <u>Luke Mansfield, now dead.</u> |                    |
| (3) | <u>Mary</u>                      | <u>" " "</u>       |
| (4) | <u>James</u>                     | <u>" "</u>         |
| (5) | <u>Thomas</u>                    | <u>do not know</u> |
| (6) |                                  |                    |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: James Mansfield on mother's side. James Williams grandfather.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.~~

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James C. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug 1907.

J. D. Adams  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 24, 1910, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. S. Jordan

and J. L. Simmons, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James C. Williams

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and

8 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. S. Jordan

J. L. Simmons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

May 24, 1910, 1910.

J. D. Adams  
So. Dist. Ind. Ter. Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 40998.

June 4, 1908.

James C. Williams,

Davis, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?

Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846. Were any of your ancestors allowed to go on as white and claimed as such in the community in 1835 and 1846?

With any other information which is tending to establish your right to share in this fund, as early as possible will be appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

W.C.

COUNT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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J. Q. ADAMS

ATTORNEY AND NOTARY

SULPHUR, OKLA. June 26, 1908. 190

Hon. Guion Miller,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear sir;- James C. Williams of Davis Oklahoma, came to my office today and asked me to write down the answers to the questions contained in your to him dated June 4th. inst. which refers to his application No. 40998.

He says; and dictates as follows:

I get my Indian blood through my mother, whose name was Cornelia Mansfield, before she was married, and Williams after marriage. She thought she would have to live in the Cherokee Nation if she was enrolled, and after she learned better she neglected to be enrolled. Her cousin whose name was John Fips lived in the Cherokee Nation, he was enrolled and got his land, he often tried to get my mother to come there and be enrolled.

I do not know whether any of my ancestors took personal action or part in the treaties of which you speak, but my mother was born in Greenville County South Carolina, and lived there in the years 1844-46, she went from there to Georgia, in or about the years 1855 and 56, and left Georgia about the year 1875 or 76, and went to Arkansas.

My ancestors were not slaves.

I pass for white in the community in which I live, but people sometimes say I am an Indian because I am Dark complected.

Mr. Williams respectfully asks you to give him an opportunity to answer all questions which you have any doubt about.

Very Respectfully Yours,

J. C. Williams

P.S.

My ancestors lived in  
South Carolina in 1834-35. also in 1851

No. 40998

James C. Williams, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is James C. Williams; my post-office is Davis, Okla.; I was born in Murray Co., Ga. in 1861; I claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through my mother, whose maiden name was Cornelia Mansfield, who was one-quarter Cherokee; my mother was born in Greenville Co., S. C. in 1841; she claims through her mother, Mary Vessel and she was from South Carolina too; all my parents and grand-parents were born and raised in South Carolina; my people moved from South Carolina to Georgia about 1855 and from Georgia moved to Arkansas in 1878; none of my people were ever enrolled and none of them ever received any money or land from the government.

his  
James X C. Williams  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of August, 1908, at Sulphur, Okla.

Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of Court of Claims.

*Reject  
LAD*



No. 40899

Action: Reject

Name Thomas E. Gaddis and 1 children. Residence: Mill Creek, Okla.

Reasons:

Brother of #33183.

No. 40999.

Name Mrs. E. Gaddis.

With No. 331813

Remarks:

SW

No. 40000

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas Ely Gaddis.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved Jan. 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 23, 1906.

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DELVA A. LOCKWOOD.

Attorney and Solicitor,

1500 P STREET NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Thomas Elys. Gaddis.

Indian name:

Evans.

2. Residence and post office:

Mill-creek.

3. County:

Murray

4. State:

Oklahoma, or Indian Territory.

5. How old are you?

24 yrs.

Born

May 17 - 1893.

6. Where were you born?

Blue County, Choctaw Nation.

7. Are you married?

Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Emma Gaddis.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.           | AGE.        | BORN.           |
|-----|-----------------|-------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Mary A. Gaddis. | 2 yrs 4 mo. | April 14 - 1905 |
| (2) |                 |             |                 |
| (3) |                 |             |                 |
| (4) |                 |             |                 |
| (5) |                 |             |                 |
| (6) |                 |             |                 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Jackson Andrew Franklin Gaddis.

Indian name:

Evans.

Mother—English name:

Matilda Gaddis.

Indian name:

None

Maiden name:

Matilda Seagoe.

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Madison, Tennessee. Overton Co.

Mother:

Arkansas.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Missouri

Mother: she died in Alabama she was not born at that date.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living at mill-creek.

Mother: " " " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN.                  | DIED. |
|-----|--|------------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Andrew G. Gaddis</u><br><u>Sulphur, I.T.</u>      | <u>Jan 21. 1880.</u>   |       |
| (2) | <u>Jud. J. Gaddis</u><br><u>Mill Creek, I.T.</u>     | <u>June 11. 1890.</u>  |       |
| (3) | <u>Jesse James Gaddis</u><br><u>Mill-Creek I.T.</u>  | <u>March 20. 1893.</u> |       |
| (4) | <u>Eveline H. Gaddis</u><br><u>Mill-Creek I.T.</u>   | <u>July 10. 1895.</u>  |       |
| (5) | <u>Carrel M. Gaddis</u><br><u>Mill-Creek I.T.</u>    | <u>Nov. 25. 1897.</u>  |       |
| (6) | <u>Mrses Carr. Gaddis</u><br><u>Mill Creek, I.T.</u> | <u>Jan. 22. 1901.</u>  |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.              | MOTHER'S SIDE.              |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <u>Jesse Gaddis</u>         | <u>Lias Seagoe (father)</u> |
| <u>Salli " Eweus</u>        | <u>grandmother was</u>      |
| <u>is my grand mother's</u> | <u>Jane Clark.</u>          |
| <u>Indian name.</u>         |                             |

18. Where were they born? Alabama (the Eweus.) (also Gaddis.)  
my Indian blood comes from the Eweus.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Missouri.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                         |                      |
|-----|-------------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>William R Gaddis</u> | <u>died in 1871.</u> |
| (2) | <u>John W.</u>          | <u>" " 1864</u>      |
| (3) | <u>Jemima</u>           | <u>do not know.</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Carl M.</u>          | <u>" " "</u>         |
| (5) | <u>Thomas M.</u>        | <u>" " "</u>         |
| (6) | <u>J. A. G. Gaddis.</u> | <u>Mill-Creek.</u>   |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jeese Gaddis grandfather  
Sallie Gaddis grandmother. Indian name  
was Sallie Evans.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful  
attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Thomas E. Gaddis  
his mark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

J. D. Adams

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 24-1910, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. S. Eubank  
and J. H. Arnold, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Thomas Elys Gaddis  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and  
9 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

W. E. Farpley  
R. D. A. Rife

Signatures of Witnesses

W. S. Eubank  
J. H. Arnold

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 24-1910, 1908.

J. D. Adams  
So. Dist. Ind. Ter. Notary Public.

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No. 41000

Action: Rejected

Name John A. Cochran and 2 children. Residence: Claremore

Reasons:

Duplicate of # 11372

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No. 41000

Name Cochran, John A.

With No. 11372

Remarks: Inpt.



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No. 11372

*Supplemental*  
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Supplemental.*  
APPLICATION

OF

John A. Cockrum

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decision of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD.

Attorney and Solicitor.

619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John A. Cockrum

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: CLAREMORE

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 30 years Born Sept-23- 1877

6. Where were you born? Baxter Co Arkansas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Edith Cockrum

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                     | AGE.     | BORN.               |
|-----|---------------------------|----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Leathie J. Cockrum</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>June-10-1902</u> |
| (2) | <u>Jesse A. Cockrum</u>   | <u>2</u> | <u>Aug-20-1905</u>  |
| (3) | _____                     | _____    | _____               |
| (4) | _____                     | _____    | _____               |
| (5) | _____                     | _____    | _____               |
| (6) | _____                     | _____    | _____               |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

This is my Supplemental application for my minor Children

Father—English name: See My Application NO 11372 which will

Indian name: answer all the other Questions on this

Mother—English name: Blank

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME  | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

|       |       |
|-------|-------|
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |       |       |
|-----|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*John A. Cockrum*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27.th day of August, 1907.

*W. J. Dodson*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

January the 11.th., 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. B. Cockrum

and J. T. Wilson

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with John A. Cockrum

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 27 years and

3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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*J. T. Wilson*

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